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SOMERSWORTH, N. H.

1911.



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PAUL LABONTE, MAYOR.

# NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

OF THE

# City of Somersworth, N. H.

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1912.



SOMERSWORTH, N. H.  
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VALEDICTORY ADDRESS  
OF  
THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY,  
MAYOR OF SOMERSWORTH,  
TO THE CITY COUNCIL.

MARCH 19, 1912.



## VALEDICTORY ADDRESS.

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*To the Members of the City Council:*

GENTLEMEN: I have served the city of Somersworth in the capacity of mayor for the past three years, deliberating always as to the best procedure to meet the demands of the people. During my administration I have had but one aim in mind—to faithfully and impartially execute the duties of my office, according to my best ability and judgment.

At this time, the expiration of my term, I wish to extend my thanks to your Honorable Body, to the heads of the departments, and all connected with our city government, for their assistance and courtesies shown me at all times.

Just economy has been practiced in the use of the city's money, yet ever mindful that delay in making necessary improvements is a deterrent of the city's progress, and consequently not conducive to the welfare of the citizens.

Uniformity, as far as possible, has been attained in all the departments, and accurate accounts on all matters pertaining to city affairs have been kept.

Nearly all of my recommendations have been carried out. About two and one-half miles of the state road was built, which has been a great advantage to travel. The whole of Market street has been macadamized, making a business-like thoroughfare. Concrete sidewalks have been placed in different parts of the city, in fact, all that could be advantageously done.

A contract was made with the Twin State Gas & Electric Company for all-night lighting at the same price as formerly was paid for twelve-o'clock lighting service.

All the old arc lights were replaced by Tungstens, creating a decidedly progressive aspect to our city.

Our community has been safe-guarded by the installation of a new fire-alarm system, which has met with great satisfaction.

The question of garbage, serious and perplexing, has been discussed, and action taken. In consequence, garbage is collected the entire year, whereas formerly it was collected only six months in the year.

There were many minor matters which have been conscientiously attended to, but time is fleeting, and I shall now take advantage of the opportunity to congratulate His Honor, Mayor LaBonte, wishing him success in his administration. He is a man of integrity, proved ability, and eminently fitted for the work.

In conclusion, may our city be always abreast of the age, and a type of the best American cities.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS

OF

PAUL LaBONTE,

MAYOR OF SOMERSWORTH,

TO THE CITY COUNCIL.

MARCH 19, 1912.



## INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

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*To the Members of the City Council:*

Agreeably to custom, we have met here at this time to be placed in actual possession of the offices to which we have been chosen by choice of the people. We are highly honored by our citizens, when we are chosen to fill the offices to which we have been elected, and I should be making ill return for kindness if I did not at this time express, in some degree, my thankfulness to those of our citizens who have so signally honored me with an election to the important office of Mayor of this city.

It matters but little how much we may have differed heretofore in municipal affairs, we are all vitally interested in the city of Somersworth, and it is obvious to even a casual observer that all matters pertaining to the city should be carried on in an economical and business-like manner. While we are performing our duties during our term in office we shall be criticised more or less, as most officials before us, but, notwithstanding criticism, let us conduct affairs so that when we have finished our labors we can feel, regardless of the outcome, that we have given our best efforts for the benefits of our city.

### FINANCIAL—MARCH 1, 1911.

Water works bonds,	\$158,000 00
General indebtedness bonds,	94,000 00
General indebtedness notes, 3 1-2 per cent,	14,600 00
General indebtedness notes, 4 per cent,	31,249 00
Cemetery trust fund,	14,985 37
Chandler trust fund,	2,000 00
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Total liabilities,	\$314,834 37

Cash on hand, March 1, 1911,	\$ 8,279 65
Cemetery trust fund,	14,985 37
Chandler trust fund,	2,000 00
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Total assets,	\$25,265 22

## FINANCIAL—MARCH 1, 1912.

Water works bonds,	\$155,000 00
General indebtedness bonds,	90,000 00
General indebtedness notes, 3 1-2 per cent,	14,600 00
General indebtedness notes, 4 per cent,	34,099 79
Road roller note,	1,450 00
Cemetery trust fund,	15,558 35
Chandler trust fund,	2,000 00
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Total liabilities,	\$312,708 14

Cash on hand, March 1, 1912,	\$ 7,984 49
Cemetery trust fund,	15,558 35
Chandler trust fund,	2,000 00
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Total assets,	\$25,542 84

Net debt, March 1, 1911,	\$289,569 15
Net debt, March 1, 1912,	287,165 30
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Net decrease of indebtedness,	\$2,403 85

## HIGHWAYS.

Even by those who have felt called upon to comment unfavorably concerning our highways, it must be admitted that a great deal of good work has been performed in this department during the last few years, particularly last year. For instance, the macadamizing of High street and Market street, last summer, made one of the most pronounced changes for the better in the appearance of our streets since I can remember.



At present we have macadam from Berwick bridge to Washington street, on High street. It appears to me that it would not be unwise to continue this work as far on the Dover road as Partridge Hill, so called, providing our financial condition will allow us to do so.

Quite a few concrete sidewalks have been laid within the last year, and other sidewalks have been improved and repaired, but there still remains much to be done in this line; in fact, there are so many sidewalks to be attended to that it would be almost an impossibility to properly care for all of them in one year, so all we can hope to do is to look out for as many as practicable, considering, at the same time, our other needs.

#### SCHOOLS.

Good work is being done in our schools, which is, without question, one of the most important departments of our city government. The superintendent and the corps of teachers have performed their work in a conscientious and able manner. In this department I shall always be in favor of a liberal appropriation, but it seems to me that there should be somewhat of a reduction from the amount of money spent by the school board during the last year. True, it is costing other cities more money, according to the number of students, than it is here, but, from a study of the situation, I am convinced that our schools could be carried on at a less cost than is the case at present.

#### WATER WORKS.

The water works is under the management of a board of three commissioners, elected by the city council. The financial condition for the past few years has been very satisfactory, but in the near future it may be necessary for the outlay of quite a sum, as a leak in the main at the elbow, corner of Wells and Rochester streets, caused by the vibration of the small high-pressure pump, should be thor-

oughly looked into by competent engineers and remedied, for the best interest of the city, and if necessary, to replace the same by a larger pump. The pumping station has been thoroughly overhauled and repairs made when necessary and is now in good working condition.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

As to our fire department, the ability and fearlessness, also the efficiency of the department as a whole are worthy of favorable comment.

Our fire alarm system, which we have had for some over a year, has been a great addition and aid to us, when the city has been threatened with what might have been a serious conflagration. The working of the fire gong has been far from satisfactory in a great many instances, and probably a change will need to be made. This matter came up before the mayor and council last year, and an appropriation of three hundred dollars, (\$300), was voted, to remedy the fault. Upon investigation by a committee appointed for that purpose, it was found that, to make the change required, a sum approximating nine hundred dollars, (\$900), would be necessary, and consequently the matter was not taken up further at that time. This question will require serious consideration on our part at the proper time, for the property of our citizens should be amply protected.

One thing further. Last summer we were harassed by many forest fires; later there was great confusion with relation to the payment of the men who had labored in suppressing the fires. I would suggest that immediate action be taken by your board with regard to this question, and a standard set as to the prices to be paid, in case a like instance should present itself.

#### FOREST GLADE CEMETERY.

Forest Glade cemetery, the last home of many of our

citizens, is a credit to our city, and the improvements now under consideration will, when completed, add greatly to this beautiful spot. The road-way, recently built, and the incidental straightening of the front line has obliterated the dangerous turn to the outside avenue at the gateway, besides adding a considerable amount of land for frontage, which, when graded and finished, will make a greatly-improved approach.

The past two seasons having been unusually dry, it was next to impossible to keep the grass green. It was therefore hoped that some means may be provided for extending the water pipes over to and covering the cemetery. Already the trustees have received several offers of donations from lot-owners for this purpose.

The board are even now, and have been, busily engaged in soliciting subscriptions from lot-owners and relatives of deceased persons, who lie in Forest Glade, for erecting a metal fence and gate-way. The responses have been hearty, and the amount thus far pledged is sufficient to justify the trustees in proceeding with the work. It is hoped that the sum necessary for completing same may be realized at an early date.

The trust fund is growing yearly, and now amounts to \$15,558.35. This evinces confidence in the city to properly care for the last resting-place of friends and loved ones.

As in all other matters, new ideas have evolved in cemetery improvements and maintenance, and such of these as the money available will permit can well be left to the board of trustees who are managing affairs so ably and well.

#### PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Our public library, which is such a highly-important adjunct to our schools, is improving gradually from year to year, but both trustees and librarian are hampered greatly from lack of funds needed to make improvements in the

building and to purchase books. Nothing has done more to make great men in this world than great and good books, and I cannot emphasize too strongly the necessity of looking out for our library and its surroundings in a proper manner.

#### ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

A short time ago a new contract was entered into with the Twin State Gas & Electric Company, whereby lights are to be furnished the city by said company until August 4, 1918. This contract gives us lights all night, or from dusk to dawn, instead of merely lighting the city until midnight, according to the terms of a prior contract, with practically no additional expense.

At the last session of the Legislature a statute was passed giving the City of Somersworth power to go ahead and create a municipal lighting plant of its own, but it seemed unwise to enter into such a project at this time, for many reasons, hence the contract above mentioned.

The new system of all-night lighting appears to be giving almost universal satisfaction, and I anticipate but very little trouble, as far as the lighting of the city is concerned, for a few years, at least. Doubtless in one year's time we shall all wonder how we ever got along with our city having no streets lighted after twelve o'clock at night.

#### HEALTH.

The most essential feature of this branch of our city government is to get men in office who will enforce the law, without fear or favor. There is law enough, if used by the health officers, to keep all parts of this city in a sanitary condition that would be equal to that of any city in the state.

In the year last past garbage has been collected during the entire twelve months, which to me seems a vast improvement on our old plan of collecting only eight months

of the year. The piles of refuse and waste, inevitably great breeders of disease, which accumulated in former years during the winter months, have thus been done away with.

The Village Improvement society has been of great assistance to the city, in beautifying certain locations, and at the same time have rendered much good service in doing away with many things which were not conducive to good health, for all of which much praise and thanks are due said society from the community as a whole.

#### CONCLUSION.

In concluding, gentlemen, I want to call your attention to the fact that a great responsibility rests upon you to meet the questions which are to be presented to you, only a few of which I have called to your mind at this time. Remember your oath to faithfully discharge and perform the duties incumbent upon you in your respective capacities, according to the best of your ability. I would respectfully request that you confer with me at all times, when convenient, concerning matters which may come before you, for I believe we can be successful in our endeavors as city officials only by the co-operation of all in their work, and by giving due consideration to the opinions of each other, we may arrive at a satisfactory solution of the many problems which will come before us in the performance of our duties.

Let every man do his utmost to make Somersworth one of the finest cities in New England, and if each one does his work with such an idea in mind at all times, whatever success he may have, he will necessarily demand the respect and good-will of all those interested in our city's welfare.

## MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

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MARCH 14, 1911.

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The following is a statement of the vote of Ward 1, Ward 2, Ward 3, Ward 4, Ward 5, as declared by the moderator of these respective wards, at the closing of the polls on the fourteenth day of March, 1911:

### WARD ONE.

#### MAYOR.

Thomas J. Dougherty, d,	89
Javan M. Russell, r,	84

#### COUNCILMAN, TWO YEARS.

R. Howard Ray, d,	86
Clarence A. Horne, r,	87

#### MODERATOR.

Michael O'Malley, d,	73
Charles Goding, r,	74

#### WARD CLERK.

Edward N. Gilbert, d,	85
Ralph C. Kimmens, r,	89

#### SELECTMEN.

James N. Hill, d,	86
Arthur Madden, d,	85
John Carignan, d,	86
Charles A. Wentworth, r,	88
John H. Blaisdell, r,	89
Lazard Carrier, Jr., r,	88

## WARD TWO.

## MAYOR.

Thomas J. Dougherty, d,	132
Javan M. Russell, r,	62

## COUNCILMAN, TWO YEARS.

Elisha C. Andrews, d,	137
Loren D. Casler, r,	56

## MODERATOR.

Fred H. Brown, d,	143
Charles H. Harmon, r,	86

## WARD CLERK.

Walter J. Gilbert, d,	130
Herbert A. Blaisdell, r,	63

## SELECTMEN.

James T. Noonan, d,	130
Cyrille Doucette, d,	128
Archie L. Jacques, d,	132
Charles F. Worster, r,	63
Mitchell Brooks, r,	66
Harry L. Brewster, r,	63

## WARD THREE.

## MAYOR.

Thomas J. Dougherty, d,	93
Javan M. Russell, r,	36

## COUNCILMAN, TWO YEARS.

George T. Lebel, d,	93
Fred K. Wentworth, r,	37

## MODERATOR.

Deus Couturier, d,	100
Harry Chick, r,	84

## WARD CLERK.

Timothy J. Cullinan, d,	90
Harry Chick, r,	40

## SELECTMEN.

Joshua G. Bragdon, d,	90
Peter Gahagan, d,	91
Alphonse Carignan, d,	90
Hilarion Gastonguay, r,	40
Louis Boulay, r,	39
Edward Magnon, r,	40

## WARD FOUR.

## MAYOR.

Thomas J. Dougherty, d,	206
Javan M. Russell, r,	31

## COUNCILMAN, TWO YEARS.

Charles J. McGuinness, d,	203
Azarie B. Jeneau, r,	33

## MODERATOR.

John O'Malley, d,	197
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## WARD CLERK.

John J. McCarthy, d,	202
George F. King, r,	35

## SELECTMEN.

Francis Beamish, d,	202
Charles E. Brown, d,	202
Henry Routhier, d,	207
Louis Hebert, r,	35
John Hanaghan, r,	35
William H. Wilder, r,	30



## WARD FIVE.

## MAYOR.

Thomas J. Dougherty, d,	85
Javan M. Russell, r,	10

## COUNCILMAN, TWO YEARS.

Edward Vezeau, d,	85
Frank Corry, r,	10

## MEMBER OF SCHOOL BOARD, THREE YEARS.

Peter M. Gagne, d,	86
Moses H. Pray, r,	10

## MODERATOR.

George J. Frechette, d,	92
Frank E. Hobbs, r,	20

## WARD CLERK.

Joseph Bourque, d,	86
Edward Libby, r,	9

## SELECTMEN.

Elmer E. Grant, d,	83
George Gagne, d,	85
Adelard Demers, d,	85
Albert C. Ham, r,	10
Norbert Trembley, r,	10

## CITY GOVERNMENT.

1911.

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MAYOR.

THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY.

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CITY CLERK.

PAUL LABONTE.

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## CITY COUNCIL.

ORGANIZATION.

The third Tuesday in March, at 10 o'clock a. m.

REGULAR MEETINGS.

Each Tuesday during the month of April, and the first Tuesday in each month at 8 o'clock p. m.

COUNCILMEN.

Ward 1—ERNEST A. LOTHROP, one year.  
CLARENCE A. HORNE, two years.

Ward 2—OVILA St. JEAN, one year.  
ELISHA C. ANDREWS, two years.

Ward 3—LOUIS GREGOIRE, one year.  
GEORGE T. LEBEL, two years.

Ward 4—EUGENE J. PERRON, one year.  
CHARLES McGUINNESS, two years.

Ward 5—FRANK P. KEARNS, one year.  
EDWARD VEZEAU, two years.

## STANDING COMMITTEES.

- Finance—The Mayor, Councilmen Andrews and Horne.  
 Claims and Accounts—Councilmen St. Jean, Lebel and McGuinness.  
 Roads, Bridges and Drains—The Mayor, Councilmen Andrews and Gregoire.  
 Ordinances—The Mayor, Councilmen Gregoire and Lothrop.  
 Public Buildings—Councilmen Andrews, Kearns and Horne.  
 Printing—The Mayor, Councilmen Perron and Vezeau.  
 Fire Department—Councilmen Lothrop, Perron and McGuinness.  
 Street Lights—Councilmen Kearns, Lebel and Vezeau.  
 Cemetery—Councilmen Andrews, Lothrop and Horne.  
 Elections and Returns—Councilmen Perron, Gregoire and St. Jean.  
 Bills in their Second Reading—Councilmen Andrews, Horne and Lothrop.  
 Engrossed Bills and Resolutions—Councilmen St. Jean, Lebel and McGuinness.  
 Obstructing Highways—Councilman Lothrop.

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 CITY TREASURER.

ARTHUR J. SEAVEY.

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## COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

MICHAEL O'MALLEY.

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## STREET COMMISSIONER.

PETER PERREAULT, JR.

CITY SOLICITOR.

FRED H. BROWN.

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CITY PHYSICIAN.

NAPOLEON LEDUC, M. D.

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SANITARY OFFICER.

JOSEPH BOURQUE.

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OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

JAMES E. CRAWFORD.

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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

WALTER L. HANAGAN.

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CITY MESSENGER.

PETER M. GAGNE.

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PROBATION OFFICER.

SIDNEY F. STEVENS.

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INSPECTOR OF MILK.

NAPOLEON LEDUC, M. D.

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INSPECTOR OF KEROSENE.

NAPOLEON PRUE.

FIELD DRIVER.

ELMER E. GRANT.

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COLLECTOR OF GARBAGE.

JOHN B. LAVOIE.

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FENCE VIEWER.

PATRICK ROWAN.

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CLOCK WINDER.

WALTER J. GILBERT.

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AUDITORS.

TIMOTHY COLLINS, FRED K. WENTWORTH.

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ASSESSORS.

Chairman—MARTIN V. B. WENTWORTH, three years.  
JOSEPH GREGOIRE, two years.  
DANIEL LEARY, one year.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer—EDWARD H. FARLEY.  
1st Assistant—GEORGE LETOURNEAU.  
2nd Assistant—ALEXCIS LABONTE.

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INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

EUGENE MORIN.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Chairman—ARTHUR J. SEAVEY, term expires March,  
1913.

Clerk—CHARLES F. CROCKETT, term expires March,  
1914.

FORTUNAT J. GAGNON, term expires March,  
1912.

Superintendent of Water Works—JOHN PARSONS.

Office, Somersworth Theatre Building.

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## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Chairman—JAMES E. CRAWFORD.

Clerk—JOSEPH BOURQUE.

NAPOLEON LEDUC, M. D.

Office, Chandler Building.

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## BOARD OF EXAMINATION OF PLUMBERS.

Chairman—THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY, M. D.

Clerk—EUGENE MORIN.

NAPOLEON LEDUC, M. D.

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## POLICE COURT.

Police Justice—CHRISTOPHER H. WELLS.

Clerk of Court—ELDORUS B. WHITE.

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## POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Chairman—ALBERT W. COLBURN, term expires 1917.

Clerk—GEORGE F. HILL, term expires 1913.

SAMUEL WELCH, term expires 1915.

Office, Somersworth Theatre Building.

## OFFICERS.

City Marshal—CHARLES P. ANDREWS.

Assistant Marshal—CHARLES L. ESTES.

Officers—THOMAS C. JOYAL.

HENRY A. JOY.

EVANGELISTE LABONTE.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Chairman—ARTHUR J. SEAVEY, term expires January, 1912.

Secretary—WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, term expires January, 1912.

HAVEN DOE, term expires January, 1913.

CHRISTOPHER H. WELLS, term expires January, 1913.

FRED C. PEARSON, JR., term expires January, 1914.

JOHN PARSONS, term expires January, 1914.

Librarian—FRANCES D. HURD.

Hours, Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 2.00 to 8.30 p. m.

Every evening, 7.00 to 8.30 p. m.

Chandler Building, Cor. Washington and Orange streets.

## FOREST GLADE CEMETERY TRUSTEES.

Chairman—BENJAMIN F. HANSON, term expires March, 1913.

GEORGE A. PRIESTLEY, term expires March, 1914.

MARTIN V. B. WENTWORTH, term expires March, 1915.

ELISHA C. ANDREWS, term expires March, 1916.

ERNEST S. FOSS, term expires March, 1912.

Clerk and Superintendent—GEORGE A. PINKHAM.

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## SURVEYORS OF WOOD, BARK AND LUMBER.

Leavitt C. Horne, James E. Richards, Benjamin F. Hanson, Elisha C. Andrews, Charles Goodrich, Calvin M. Hubbard, Louis Ruel, Joseph U. Gagnon, Pierre Morin, George H. Goodrich, Charles Goodwin, William Ames, Martin V. B. Wentworth, Dyer P. Swett, Llewellyn Furbush.

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## WEIGHERS OF HAY, COAL AND STRAW.

Albert E. J. Hurd, Benjamin F. Hanson, Leslie C. Patten, James E. Richards, Louis Ruel, James A. Locke, William Taylor, Martin V. B. Wentworth, Elisha C. Andrews, William J. Andrews, George L. Aldrich, Joseph U. Gagnon, John W. Coyle, Pierre Morin, William J. Hickey, George Letourneau, Paul Breton, William Ames, Charles Hurd, Frank E. Libby, John P. Berry, William H. Carpenter, Loren D. Casler, Daniel Cronin, Harold B. Thompson.

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## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CHECK-LISTS.

Ward 1, Walter R. Tebbetts. Ward 2, Timothy Collins. Ward 3, Israel Perreault. Ward 4, Patrick Quinlan. Ward 5, Peter M. Gagne.



## WARD OFFICERS.

## MODERATORS.

Ward 1, Charles Goding. Ward 2, Fred H. Brown.  
Ward 3, Deus Couturier. Ward 4, John O'Malley. Ward  
5, George J. Frechette.

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## WARD CLERKS.

Ward 1, Ralph Kimmens. Ward 2, Walter J. Gilbert.  
Ward 3, Timothy J. Cullinan. Ward 4, John J. McCarthy.  
Ward 5, Joseph Bourque.

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## SELECTMEN.

Ward 1—Charles A. Wentworth, Lazard Carrier, Jr.,  
John H. Blaisdell.

Ward 2—James T. Noonan, Cyrille Doucette, Archie  
L. Jacques.

Ward 3—Joshua G. Bragdon, Peter Gahagan, Alphonse  
Carignan.

Ward 4—Charles E. Brown, Francis Beamish, Henry  
Routhier.

Ward 5—Elmer E. Grant, George Gagne, Adelard  
Demers.

## RESOLUTIONS.

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### **In Favor of Borrowing Money in Anticipation of Taxes.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

That the Committee on Finance be and hereby is authorized to borrow, in anticipation of taxes, for the City of Somersworth, in such amounts and at such times as may be deemed necessary to meet current expenses, at the lowest rate of interest obtainable, the sum of all amounts so borrowed not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars, and that the proper officers of the city be authorized to give the city's note therefor.

Passed March 7, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., April 18, 1912.

Resolved: That the Committee on Printing be and hereby are authorized to have 500 copies of the City Report printed, for the fiscal year just closed.

Passed April 18, 1911.

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### **In Favor of Purchasing a Road Roller.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

That the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains be and hereby are authorized to purchase one Buffalo Pitts road-roller at \$3,150; that the city accept the Pitts Company's offer of \$700 for the Kelley roller, now owned by the city, and that the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) be paid forthwith from money appropriated for that purpose, and that the Committee on Finance be authorized to give the city's note for the balance, namely \$1,450, for one year, without interest.

Passed May 29, 1911.

**In Favor of a Series of Band Concerts.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) be and hereby is appropriated, from money in the hands of the city treasurer, for a series of public band concerts, ten in number, subject to the agreement that said band paint the Main street bandstand two coats.

Passed June 6, 1911.

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**In Favor of Renewing Street Light Contract.**

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., December 5, 1911.

Resolved: That the Committee on Street Lights, together with the mayor and city solicitor, be and hereby are authorized and empowered to make a contract for all-night lighting, conditional upon the communication received from the Twin State Gas and Electric Company.

Passed December 5, 1911.

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**In Favor of Transferring from any Department that May Have an Excess in Appropriation.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

That the Finance Committee is hereby authorized to transfer from any department, that may have an excess of appropriation, or from any money remaining in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and apply to such department as may have expended more than the appropriation.

Passed February 20, 1912.

## PETITIONS.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 17, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen : The undersigned, citizens and tax-payers, respectfully petition for a suitable sidewalk on the north side of Mount Auburn street, from Union street to Main street.

Patrick Murphy,	Hubert St. Pierre,
Charles Lemieux,	Theophile Soucy,
Daniel Johnson,	Oscar Hobbs,
Ludger Gagnon,	Joseph Guilmette,
Charles E. Holmes,	Joseph E. Cote,
Philippe Dumais,	Willie F. Potvin,
Augustus F. Schambier,	Alfred Desjardins.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, April 4, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 21, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen : The undersigned, citizens and tax-payers, respectfully petition for a suitable sidewalk on the north side of Mount Auburn street, from Green to Union streets.

Philippe Dumais,	Charles E. Holmes,
Joseph Marquis,	Ludger Gagnon,
Daniel Johnson,	Joseph Fournier,
Mrs. Sarah F. French,	Miss Mary Murray,
Mrs. Julia Murphy,	Leonidas Cauchon,
Albert Cauchon,	Philibert Drolet,
Aime Langelier,	Donat Talbot,
Alphonse Langelier,	Mrs. Lucy E. Guilmette,
Augustus F. Schambier,	Phidine Langelier.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, April 4, 1911.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., April 3, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The undersigned, citizens and tax-payers, respectfully petition for a suitable sidewalk on the north side of Court street, from Washington to High streets.

Odilon Couturier,	Morris Goold,
Cyrille Doucet,	Charles K. Drew,
Michel Brooks,	Philius J. Chabot,
Arthur J. Chabot,	Francois Gregoire.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, April 4, 1911.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The undersigned, citizens and tax-payers, respectfully petition for a suitable sidewalk on the westerly side of Elm street, from the Somersworth House to the residence of Charles H. Plummer.

Charles H. Plummer,	Joseph O. Plummer,
Achille Boulanger,	Harry Chick,
Zephir Lehoullier,	Robert B. Lane,
Louis Letendre,	Adelard Plante,
Edward Magnan,	Edmund Vermette,
Louis Boulay,	Omer Nadeau,
Basile Letendre.	

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, April 11, 1911.

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## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*To the Mayor and City Council in said State:*

The Dover, Somersworth and Rochester Street Railway Co. respectfully represents that it desires a re-location

of its tracks in and upon certain streets and highways, in said city of Somersworth, as follows :

Re-location of Track. "Beginning at a point on High street, in the centre of the track, as now laid, said point being 4.31 feet distant from the southwesterly corner of the Great Falls Hotel, and 53.82 feet distant from the northwesterly corner of said hotel, and running thence north, 41.50; west, 70.0 feet; thence on a curve to the left, whose radius is 540.0 feet, 293.3 feet; thence on a curve to the left, whose radius is 360.0 feet, 210.0 feet; thence north, 22.34, west, 273.0 feet, to a point north, 68.35, east of and 20.75 feet distant from the end of the present layout; said last described point being also 50.7 feet from the northeast corner of house No. 7 Market street, and 55.22 feet from the southeasterly corner of the house at No. 9 Market street;" above described lines to be the center line.

The above said re-location of tracks, shown on plan hereto annexed and made a part of this petition, which plan is marked as follows:—"Plan showing a re-location of Dover, Somersworth & Rochester Street Railway's track on Market and High streets, Somersworth, N. H., May 11, 1911. Scale, 1 foot, 20 inches. William A. Grover, Civil Engineer."

Wherefore your petitioner respectfully prays that said railway company may construct, lay, maintain, and use the tracks with suitable switches, curves, and connections within said city of Somersworth, over and upon said public highways, as aforesaid, and that you may make such orders in the premises, agreeably to law, as you see fit.

DOVER, SOMERSWORTH & ROCHESTER STREET  
RAILWAY COMPANY.

D. A. BELDEN, President.

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May 27, 1911.

The Dover, Somersworth & Rochester Street Railway Company, by its president, having filed in the office of the

city clerk of the city of Somersworth, the foregoing petition, it is hereby ordered that a hearing be had thereon, at the city council rooms, in the Chandler building, Orange street, in said Somersworth, on the first day of July, A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when and where all persons interested may appear and be heard, if they see cause; and said petitioners are ordered to give notice of said petition and hearing by causing the said petition and this order thereon to be published in the Somersworth Free Press, a newspaper printed at said Somersworth, three weeks successively, the last publication to be at least fifteen days before said day of hearing.

In witness whereof, we, the mayor and councilmen of Somersworth, aforesaid, have hereunto set our hands and seals this twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1911.

THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY, Mayor.

CLARENCE A. HORNE,  
 ERNEST A. LOTHROP,  
 ELISHA C. ANDREWS,  
 OVILA ST. JEAN,  
 GEORGE T. LEBEL,  
 LOUIS GREGOIRE,  
 EUGENE J. PERRON,  
 CHARLES J. MCGUINNESS,  
 EDWARD VEZEAU,  
 FRANK P. KEARNS,

Councilmen of the City of Somersworth.

Petition granted, July 1, 1911, and "no damages" assessed in favor of any abutters.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company respectfully petitions the City of Somers-

worth, N. H., for a location for its poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways of said city. Said company agrees to reserve space for one cross arm at the top of all the above poles for telephone, fire alarm and police signal wires, owned by the city and used for municipal purposes. Said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said city may designate.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

On Franklin street, between Garden street and High street.

On Elm street, corner of Washington street.

On Linden street, corner of Maple street.

On Prospect street, between Linden street and Highland street.

On Lincoln street, between end of present line and Maple street.

On Grove street, between Grand street and High street.

On Mount Vernon street, between Rochester street and Grand street.

On Noble street, between Grand street and High street.

On Sullivan street, between Grand street and High street.

On Grand street, between Mount Vernon street and Noble street.

Re-locations:

On Lincoln street, between Maple street and Stackpole street.

On Green street, between Washington street and Pleasant street.

On Green street, between Franklin street and Myrtle street.



On Mount Vernon street, between Grand street and High street.

On Grand street, between Highland street and Grove street.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, August 1, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., July 31, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: I would respectfully petition your honorable body for an extension of the sewer on Green street, from the end of the present sewer to my property.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT VACHON.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, August 1, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., May 31, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: The undersigned, citizens and tax-payers of Somersworth, respectfully represent that the sidewalk on the easterly side of Winter street is in an extremely bad condition of disrepair. Wherefore they pray that a suitable and permanent sidewalk be laid on said street.

Charles Goding,  
Eben N. Higley,  
Martin V. B. Wentworth,  
George A. Bodwell,  
Dyer P. Swett,

John W. McIntire,  
Harry B. Thompson,  
Charles E. Stevens,  
George H. Hunt,  
Sidney F. Stevens,

William J. Andrews,	Leonard O. Day,
Peter D. Vachon,	John P. Stevens,
Frank B. Ferguson,	Albert W. Colburn,
Clark H. Andrews,	Henry A. King,
Philip Provenshier,	John W. Sanborn,
John N. Haines,	Philip H. Stiles,
Joseph N. Morin,	John H. Blaisdell,
Charles E. Sanborn,	John A. Fall,
R. Howard Ray,	Albert E. Andrews,
Clarence P. Lord,	Samuel S. Brams.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, August 31, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., August 14, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company respectfully petitions the City of Somersworth, N. H., for a location for its poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways of said city. Said company agrees to reserve space for one cross-arm at the top of all the above poles for telephone, fire alarm, and police signal wires, owned by the city and used for municipal purposes. Said poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said city may designate.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to :

On High street, between West High street and Pearl street.

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, September 5, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The undersigned citizens and tax-payers respectfully petition your honorable body for a concrete sidewalk on the southerly side of Pleasant street, from the junction of West Green and Pleasant streets to the Chandler School building, thereby completing a continuous concrete sidewalk from Green to High streets.

John J. Shapleigh,	Freeman A. Hussey,
Milton Wheeler,	John Adams,
Alphonse Lapointe,	Frank D. Chisholm,
George J. Lauzon,	Fred Guilmette,
Arthur J. Chabot,	George A. Pinkham,
Charles F. Davis,	Albert E. J. Hurd,
Evangeliste LaBonte,	Harry R. Smith,
Charles J. King.	

Referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains, with power to act, September 5, 1911.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: We, the undersigned tax-payers of Somersworth, petition your honorable body to provide a street light at the junction of Rochester and Maple streets.

John W. McIntire,	Henry R. Bugbee,
John M. Emery,	John C. Dearborn,
Oscar C. Lord,	Alfred F. Charrett,
Henry Cochrane,	Mrs. Alice A. Chapman.

Referred to the Committee on Street Lights, with power to act, October 3, 1911.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., October 21, 1911.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

The undersigned, pool-room keepers, respectfully

request your honorable body that they be allowed to keep open the pool-rooms in this city until eleven o'clock, every week-day night.

Arthur L. Mason,  
Joseph Dubois.

Albert W. Ross,

Granted November 7, 1911.

ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS  
OF THE  
CITY OF SOMERSWORTH

ENDING MARCH 1, 1912.

## REPORT OF THE CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the Honorable City Council  
of the City of Somersworth:*

Herewith I submit my report for the municipal year ending March 31st, 1912.

At present there are four cases upon the docket of the Superior Court for the County of Strafford, in which the City of Somersworth is materially interested, namely: Nos. 732 Equity and 789 Equity entitled, Dover, Somersworth and Rochester Street Railway Company v. the City of Somersworth; No. 559 Equity, entitled, James H. Joyce v. the City of Somersworth and Charles P. Andrews, City Marshal; No. 889 Equity, entitled, James H. Joyce v. the City of Somersworth.

Nos. 732 Equity and 789 Equity are petitions for abatement of taxes. They will doubtless be disposed of at the next term of Superior Court.

No. 559 is the old case relating to the disposition of police officers' fees, under certain conditions, which has been on the docket since 1907; the time of and final disposition of this case are both very uncertain.

No. 889 Equity is a petition for an assessment of damages brought by James H. Joyce during the month of January, the present year. Mr. Joyce claims that certain property of his located on the Dover road has been damaged by reason of changes made when the state road was built. It was the opinion of your honorable body, when this matter was submitted for its consideration, that the value of the property in question had been enhanced rather than damaged by said changes, and that is the opinion also of your city solicitor. This case will be tried at the September term of court at Dover.

The police force has been faithful and efficient in the performance of its duties; the members of the night force

have been aided and the safety of the whole community has been greatly increased through the installation of an all-night lighting system during the last administration.

The dry-list contains fewer names than at any time for some few years and the probable tendency will be for it to remain smaller in numbers, the real benefit derived from its use in most cases being very doubtful.

Very few matters have come before the juvenile court for disposition during the past year, but the results are almost always for the best through this manner of handling young delinquents.

In concluding I wish to thank those who have aided me in the performance of my duties during the last year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED H. BROWN,  
City Solicitor.

## POLICE COURT.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report of the business of the police court of the City of Somersworth from March 1, 1911, to March 1, 1912.

### CRIMINAL DOCKET.

Whole number arraigned,	276
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### OFFENCES.

Assault,	10
Aggravated assault,	1
Disorderly conduct,	1
Non-support,	3
Carrying on his person a loaded revolver,	4
Going about begging in the streets,	1
Playing ball in the street,	1
Entering in night time and stealing,	3
Drunkenness,	215
Drunk, disturbing peace,	22
Larceny,	7
Larceny from the person,	1
Obstructing sidewalk,	1
Discharging a gun in compact part of city,	1
Gambling,	1
Assault with intent to kill and murder,	1
Trespass,	1
Keeping for sale, spirituous liquors, not being a licensee,	1
Carrying on trade of junk dealer, not being a licensee,	1



## HOW DISPOSED OF.

Fine and costs ; not paid, and committed to house of correction,	55
Fine and costs ; and sentence suspended during good behavior ; afterwards brought forward and put into effect and paid,	1
Fine and costs ; and sentence suspended during good behavior ; afterwards brought forward and put into effect and committed to house of correction,	5
Fine and costs ; and sentence suspended during good behavior,	76
Fine and costs ; not paid, and committed to house of correction ; afterwards released from house of correction, and paid,	3
Fine and costs ; sentence suspended on condition respondent takes out license,	1
To pay costs ; and sentenced to house of correction, and committed to house of correction,	7
To pay costs, and sentenced to house of correction, and sentence to take effect at order of court,	1
Paid,	56
Continued for sentence,	30
Continued for sentence ; afterwards brought forward and put into effect ; sentenced to house of correction, and mittimus to issue at call of city solicitor,	1
Continued for sentence ; afterwards brought forward and put into effect ; sentenced to house of correction, and committed to house of correction,	1
Continued for sentence ; afterwards brought forward, and put into effect ; fine and costs ; not paid, and committed to house of correction,	1

Sentenced to house of correction, and committed to house of correction,	2
Sentenced to house of correction, and committed to house of correction ; afterwards released, and paid,	1
Sentenced to house of correction, and mittimus to issue at order of court,	1
Sentenced to house of correction, and mittimus to issue at call of city solicitor ; mittimus called for by city solicitor, and committed to house of correction,	1
Sentenced to house of correction, and mittimus to issue at call of city solicitor,	3
Sentenced to house of correction, and mittimus to issue at call of marshal,	6
Sentenced to house of correction ; appealed ; held for superior court ; furnished bail,	1
Placed on file,	3
Held for superior court ; furnished bail,	4
Held for superior court, and committed to jail,	6
Committed to jail without bail, for superior court,	1
Nol prossed by city solicitor, and discharged,	5
Discharged,	4

## JUVENILE DOCKET.

There have been six cases before the juvenile court, which were properly disposed of by the court.

## CIVIL DOCKET.

Five writs have been presented for entry.

## AMOUNT RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS.

Cash on hand March 1, 1911,	\$ 5 80
Amount of fines and costs received,	666 23
Whole amount received and on hand,	<hr/> \$672 03

## PAID OUT.

For witness fees, etc.,	\$ 39 34
To Arthur J. Seavey, city treasurer,	610 00
Cash on hand March 1, 1912,	22 69
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Whole amount paid out and on hand,	\$672 03

Respectfully submitted,

ELDORUS B. WHITE,  
Clerk of Police Court.

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and to the City Council of the  
City of Somersworth:*

Your library trustees submit their report of their doings for the fiscal year ending March 1st, 1912, including as a part thereof the report of the librarian, which covers the work of the library, its needs, and the disadvantages under which the work is carried on. The work of the library is most important in every way. It reaches or may reach every individual in this community. No public work in this city is more important. The appropriations for carrying on this work are inadequate to its needs. Larger appropriations would meet with the approval of all of our tax-payers. We earnestly urge you to visit the library and there ascertain its needs.

We deeply regret that Miss Frances D. Hurd, who for the past nine years has served as librarian, has found it necessary to resign. Miss Hurd has served the city earnestly, enthusiastically, and intelligently, and is entitled to the gratitude of all of our citizens.

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### FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.

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#### RECEIPTS.

Balance in the city treasury to the credit of the library account March 1st, 1911,	\$ 82
Special appropriation, library tax, and income from the Chandler fund for 1911,	1,073 00
Total,	<hr/> \$1,073 82

## EXPENDITURES.

Librarian's salary, including assistants,	\$424 00
Janitor's salary,	72 00
Paid for gas and electricity,	89 02
for fuel,	40 19
insurance premiums,	47 25
new books and periodicals,	358 61
supplies,	1 75
repairs to books,	7 17
repairs to library room,	4 10
Total,	<hr/> \$1,044 09
Balance in the city treasury,	29 73
Total,	<hr/> \$1,073 82
Bill due Chivers Book Binding Co., \$87.15.	

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR J. SEAVEY,  
 HAVEN DOE,  
 JOHN PARSONS,  
 C. H. WELLS,  
 FREDERICK C. PEARSON, JR.  
 WILLIAM F. RUSSELL,  
 Library Trustees.

WILLIAM F. RUSSELL, Secretary.

## Report of the Librarian.

*To the Board of Trustees of the Somersworth Public Library:*

Gentlemen: The report of the librarian showing the work of the library for the year ending February 29, 1912, is herewith presented.

## THE YEAR'S GROWTH.

Number of volumes reported accessioned last year,		11,994
Added during the year,		
By purchase,	437	
By gift,	11	
By government (bound volumes),	42	
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		12,484
Lost,	6	
Withdrawn,	203	
Whole number lost and withdrawn last year,	247	
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Whole number lost and withdrawn to date,		456
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Actual number of books in library,		12,028
Government publications not reported, as no accurate account can be kept.		
Number of days open,		306
Number registered since November 1, 1909,		1,360
Number registered this year,		278
Books given out during year,		31,096
Largest number given out any month,		3,585
Largest number given out any day,		418
Books given out to children,		10,880
Largest number any month,		1,520
Largest number any day,		170
Gain in total circulation over last year,		4,852
Gain in juvenile circulation over last year,		2,602

These figures give some idea of the work done in the

library during the past year. They show a marked growth and this under the most primitive conditions. The work of the library has entirely outgrown its present quarters. The up-to-date library does more than barely furnish books to its patrons; it seeks to furnish comfortable reading rooms both for adults and children; to supply their demands and create a desire for better reading; to furnish instruction and entertainment by lectures and stories; to satisfy a love for the beautiful by exhibitions of good pictures and in many ways to provide the things that otherwise are denied the majority. Especially do the children need these influences while there are so many places less desirable open to them. That 10,880 books were taken out by them shows there is an opportunity to reach and influence a good number, and with better accommodations twice that number might be reached.

Last spring several persons volunteered to tell stories to the children on Saturday afternoons. On these days between fifty and sixty small people crowded into a bare, cheerless room over the library, sitting two on a chair or on the tables, not caring where as long as they could listen to the stories. Their close attention showed their appreciation and well repaid those who gave their time. We hoped to establish this permanently, but owing to the press of the regular work and the lack of accommodations for caring for the crowd that came it has been impossible.

The children showed their interest and desire to help by giving an entertainment for the benefit of the library at the Colonial theatre last May. Miss Drew and Miss Curran assisted by other primary teachers worked very hard to make this the great success that it was. As a result \$67.15 was netted and placed in the bank as a nucleus for a library improvement fund. We hope others, seeing the great need and opportunities for good here, will add to it until there is enough to do something to relieve the crowded conditions.

The cheerful willingness with which my assistants have always met the demands made upon them has added much to the library's usefulness and value.

Though this, my ninth report, nearly terminates my term of service with the library, it does not terminate my interest in its work and welfare. The past nine years have been very pleasant ones, notwithstanding the many problems that have presented themselves. The unfailing kindness and confidence of the trustees have helped to smooth many a rough place and for this I wish to thank you. I wish this great work and all connected with it greater success.

#### CIRCULATION BY SUBJECT FOR 1911-12.

General works,	19
Philosophy,	23
Religion,	133
Sociology,	2,165
Philology and literature,	861
Science,	404
Useful and fine arts,	437
Fiction and French fiction,	19,794
History,	1,853
Biography,	551
Travel,	775
Magazines,	4,081
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	31,096

#### FINANCIAL REPORT.

Cash on hand March 1, 1911,	\$31 78	
Received from non-residents,	30 25	
from fines, etc.,	54 00	
	<hr/>	\$116 03
Paid for freight and express,	\$ 5 78	
postage and P. O. box rent,	4 80	
books and magazines,	14 20	
supplies and incidentals,	31 97	
Cash on hand March 1, 1912,	59 28	
	<hr/>	\$116 03

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES D. HURD, Librarian.



## CITY CLERK'S REPORT.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., February 29, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: The following is a statement of the receipts of this office for the fiscal year, closing this day.

Dog licenses,		\$425 00
Shows and moving picture shows,		133 26
Pool table licenses,		85 00
Junk dealers' licenses,		105 00
Peddlers' licenses,		154 00
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Total,		\$902 26
Commission on dog licenses,	\$ 35 20	
Paid Arthur J. Seavey, city treasurer,	867 06	
	<hr/>	\$902 26

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL LABONTE,  
City Clerk.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., April 9, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: In compliance with Chapter IX, Section 8, of the ordinances of the city, I herewith submit my report for the year ending February 28, 1912.

During the year I have made inspections of the sanitary conditions of the city, giving particular attention to sewer connections and outbuildings, and as a result many changes were ordered and made.

### CONTAGIOUS DISEASES REPORTED.

	No. cases	Died
Diphtheria,	2	0
Typhoid fever,	3	1
Spotted fever,	0	0
Smallpox,	0	0
Consumption,	4	4
Number of births,		201
Number of deaths,		99
Excess of births over deaths,		102
Number of notices served on existing nuisances,		38
Complaints received,		8
Unsanitary privy vaults removed,		12
Water closets connected with sewers,		51
Unused wells filled in,		0
Licenses granted to clean out privy vaults,		4

On April 28 last, the board of health appointed Napoleon Leduc, M. D., inspector of milk.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH BOURQUE,  
Sanitary Officer.

## STREET COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of the  
City of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: In accordance with the provisions of the city ordinances, I herewith submit my report as street commissioner for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912.

## STREETS.

All streets have been kept clean, and also all highways cleared of stone or other matter liable to impair good travelling, and put in good condition, and where grading was necessary improvements have been made.

Six large receivers have been put in, two of which have been installed at the foot of each of the following streets, namely, Lincoln, Beacon, and Union, to receive the over-flow down those hills.

Six new crossings have been laid at the following points: One at the junction of Page and Prospect streets; one at Washington and Main; one at Green and Myrtle; one at Ford and Green; one across Green, from Myrtle to Ford; and one across Main street, at the junction of Main and Mt. Auburn streets.

## STATE HIGHWAY.

We have completed the stretch of state highway from where we left off last year to the Dover line, a distance of about 1,300 feet.

## MACADAM.

Macadam was relaid on Market street, from the Berwick bridge to High street; Market square and Fore street were also macadamized; and we have also made a great improvement to Elm street, by using the old macadam on same.

## ROADS.

We have graded the old Salmon Falls road, so-called, between the residences of Daniel Sullivan and Albert C. Ham. The New Dam hill, between the Salmon Falls river and the Woolen mill, has been thoroughly graded, and put in good condition; and that part of West High street, between the stone crusher and the residence of Fred Whitehouse, has also been graded thoroughly. The Cemetery road was also put in good condition, and the old Dover road, from the Indigo Hill road to the Dover line, was thoroughly repaired. The outside district surveyors have continued in keeping each of their districts in the best of repair.

## ROAD ROLLER.

We found that our old steam road roller was in very poor condition and not fit for good work, so we thought it for our advantage to purchase a new one, which we did, and the same has given great satisfaction.

## BRIDGES.

The following bridges have been re-built : One across Brown's brook, so-called; one on Rocky Hill road; and also the one on Blackwater road, so-called.

## SEWERS.

All the sewers about the city have been cleaned out regularly when needed and kept in proper condition to secure good drainage.

## CURBING.

We have laid 2,575 feet of cement curbing, and expended nearly one-half of the sidewalk appropriation in this work alone, believing that in order to have good sidewalks we must have good foundations also. The curbing has been laid along the following streets : On the northerly side of Myrtle, from Green street to the Blanchette prop-

erty; on the northerly side of Mount Auburn, from Green to Union streets; on the easterly side of Mount Vernon, from Grand to Prospect streets; on the westerly side of Grove, from Grand to Prospect streets; and on the southerly side of Page, from Maple to Winter streets; also on Market Square, from High to Main streets.

#### SIDEWALKS.

As is generally known, our sidewalks needed attention, and we felt that all improvements in this part of the work should be made, as far as possible, of a permanent nature. Concrete walks have been laid on the following streets, namely: Myrtle, from Green street to the Blanchette residence, 336 yards laid; Mount Auburn, from Green to Union street, 307 yards laid; Mount Vernon, from Grand to Prospect streets, 532 yards laid; Grove, from Grand to Prospect street, 226 yards laid; Elm, 53 yards laid; Washington, 56 yards laid; and Green, 76 yards laid. There were also 50 yards of patching, where same was needed on the different streets.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS.

I still recommend that the laying of sidewalks be continued, and that such work be thoroughly and permanently done, and would also recommend the repairing of other macadamized streets, and have liberal appropriations made for improving same.

In closing, I desire to thank His Honor, the Mayor, and members of the city council, for their kindness and courtesy during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER PERREAULT, JR.,  
Street Commissioner.

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF FOREST GLADE CEMETERY.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Herewith we submit to you a report of the affairs of Forest Glade cemetery for the year ending March 1, 1912, as made up by the clerk.

### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 600 00
Receipts,	1,050 00
Trust fund income,	538 80
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Total,	\$2,188 80

### EXPENDITURES.

George A. Pinkham, superintendent and clerk's services,	\$547 50
Aaron Gray, labor,	258 75
P. Edward Leary, labor,	140 25
John Roberge, labor,	63 75
George Gagne, labor,	58 50
Charles C. Varney, labor,	35 25
Edmond Marquis, labor,	30 75
Forest L. Bickford, labor,	33 00
Henry Fournier, labor,	54 75
Ernest Heon, labor,	12 00
Charles King, labor,	13 50
Joseph A. Casgrain, labor and team,	30 00
Lorenzo D. Otis, labor and team,	18 00
Paul Breton, labor and team,	7 55
Ernest S. Foss, labor and team,	4 00
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	3 00
James A. Locke, loam,	75 00

Freeman A. Hussey, rent of stable,	\$24 00
Frank A. Harvey, supplies, 1910,	52 46
George F. Hill, perpetual care signs,	11 25
Charles McGuinness, trimming brown tail moths, for 1911,	22 00
James A. Tebbetts & Son, grain and cement,	47 03
Somersworth Post Office, stamped envelopes,	21 24
George S. Ramsburg, flowers and plants,	20 75
James W. Murray, repairs and supplies,	11 77
Harry A. Day, repairs,	10 35
Alfred Boucher, trimming brown tail moths, for 1912,	18 00
Frank A. Harvey, supplies for 1911,	50 73
Somersworth Grain Co., grain and cement,	31 35
Benjamin F. Hanson, painting wagon,	12 00
David Marquis, turf,	12 85
Ovila St. Jean, supplies and repairs,	10 60
Somersworth Grain Co., grass seed,	16 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, grain,	22 93
Leonard O. Day, dressing,	7 87
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	8 75
Myron Goodwin, lumber,	3 11
Mrs. Sarah Sanborn, hay,	2 00
Albert E. J. Hurd, hay,	1 50
Wimpfheimer & Co., supplies,	1 40
John C. Nutter, dressing,	2 62
Nellie E. Kearns, typewriting and clerical work,	4 50
Ephrem Boucher, repairing tools,	2 95
James Madden, labor,	3 00
George Vachon, labor,	9 00
James Morrison, labor,	3 00
Joseph Poulin, labor,	7 50
Benjamin F. Hanson, labor and team,	2 00
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$1,840 06

Unexpended balance,	\$348 74
Uncollected bills,	\$75 00

There has been added to the trust fund, for the year ending February 29, 1912, \$572.98.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. A. PINKHAM,  
Clerk and Superintendent.

B. F. HANSON,  
M. V. B. WENTWORTH,  
ELISHA C. ANDREWS,  
Directors.



# REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEM- ETERY.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Herewith we submit to you a report of the affairs of Forest Glade cemetery for the year ending March 1, 1912, as made up by the clerk.

## RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$ 600 00
Receipts,	1,050 00
Trust fund income,*	538 80
Total,	<u>\$2,188 80</u>

## EXPENDITURES.

Labor and supplies,	<u>\$1,840 06</u>
Unexpended balance,	\$348 74
Uncollected bills,	\$75 00

There has been added to the trust fund, ending February 29th, 1912, \$572.98.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. A. PINKHAM,  
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M. V. B. WENTWORTH,  
ELISHA C. ANDREWS,  
Directors of Forest Glade Cemetery.

## CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of the City of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report as chief engineer of the fire department from April 1st, 1911, to April 1st, 1912. During that time we have had three fires, with a loss of \$5,000, thirty bell alarms, and fifteen still alarms.

The present organization of the fire department is as follows:

Chief engineer, Edward H. Farley.

Assistant engineers: 1st, George Letourneau; 2nd, Alexcie LaBonte.

Deluge Hose Co., No. 1, fifteen men. Foreman, James Riley.

Alert Hose Co., No. 2, fifteen men. Foreman, W. Ashton Horn.

Deluge Hose Co., No. 3, fifteen men. Foreman, Joseph Bourque.

Conqueror Hose Co., No. 4, ten men. Foreman, Walter Blaisdell.

Rescue Hook and Ladder Co., twenty men. Foreman, James Casey.

Stewards: No. 1, Sylvester Curley; No. 2, Martin McKeon; No. 3, Joseph Gagne; No. 4, Joseph Morin; Hook and Ladder Co., Peter Vermette.

### INVENTORY.

Deluge, No. 1:

One hose wagon and chemicals,	\$381 00
Eight hundred feet double-jacket hose,	560 00
One hose jacket,	25 00
Ten rubber coats,	30 00
Two play pipes,	20 00

Two shut-off nozzles,	\$ 25 00
Two hydrant gates,	12 00
Eight spanners,	4 00
Four lanterns,	6 00
One stove,	30 00
Coal hod, shovel, broom, etc.,	15 00

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Total, \$1,108 00

Alert, No. 2:

One hose wagon and chemicals,	\$400 00
One thousand feet double jacket hose,	700 00
Ten rubber coats,	30 00
One hose jacket,	25 00
One Eastman coupling,	10 00
Two shut-off nozzles,	30 00
Two hydrant gates,	12 00
Three lanterns,	6 00
Eight spanners,	4 00
Two play pipes,	30 00
One stove, oil can, broom, etc.,	30 00

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Total, \$1,277 00

Deluge Hose Co., No. 3:

One hose wagon,	\$300 00
One thousand feet double-jacket hose,	700 00
Ten rubber coats,	30 00
One play pipe,	15 00
Two hydrant gates,	12 00
One hose jacket,	25 00
Six spanners,	3 00
Two shut-off nozzles,	30 00
Two lanterns,	2 00
One stove, broom, shovel, etc.,	15 00

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Total, \$1,132 00

Conqueror Hose Co., No. 4	
One hose wagon and chemicals,	\$200 00
Eight hundred feet double-jacket hose,	560 00
Five rubber coats,	15 00
Thirteen chairs,	16 00
One shut-off nozzle,	15 00
One hydrant gate,	6 00
One play pipe,	20 00
Two lanterns,	3 00
One chemical extinguisher,	10 00
One stove, broom, shovel, etc.,	25 00

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Total,	\$870 00
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Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1.	
One Hook and Ladder truck,	\$600 00
Twelve rubber coats,	36 00
Two lanterns,	3 00
One stove,	20 00
One set hub runners,	30 00
One stove, broom, duster, etc.,	10 00

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Total,	\$699 00
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## ENGINEER'S INVENTORY.

Three rubber coats,	\$18 00
One chief's lantern,	5 00

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Total,	\$23 00
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The city has added one alarm box during the past year, at a cost of \$75. I would recommend that ten boxes be installed in various parts of the city, and that the gong be placed in a more central location.

Thanking His Honor, the Mayor, and the committee on fire department for the assistance shown me during the past year, I remain,

Respectfully,

EDWARD H. FARLEY, Chief Engineer.

## CITY TREASURER'S REPORT.

*Gentlemen of the City Council:*

The city treasurer herewith submits his report for the period ending February 29, 1912.

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To cash balance, March 1, 1911,	\$ 8,279 85
Cemetery trust funds income,	538 80
Cemetery income,	1,050 00
Cemetery trust funds,	572 98
Chandler building,	428 00
Chandler fund income,	70 60
City hall,	1,400 00
Dog licenses,	389 80
Miscellaneous licenses,	477 26
Notes payable,	17,850 79
Police court fees,	610 00
Sundries, (forest fires, \$203 08; B. & M. R. R., 61 cents)	203 69
Taxes, 1911,	84,732 69
Taxes, 1910,	35 52
Water works,	15,163 21
State of New Hampshire, liquor licenses,	285 22
State of New Hampshire, liquor licenses,	4,509 80
State road,	1,010 33
School department, tuition, etc.,	25 50
Total,	\$137,634 04

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Band concerts,	\$ 250 00
Bonds,	7,000 00
Cemetery,	1,814 31
Cemetery trust fund,	572 98
Chandler building,	459 98

City hall,	1,501 22
County tax,	9,503 52
Damages,	175 00
Fire department,	7,054 97
Highways,	5,052 09
Interest,	6,080 89
Lights,	6,382 80
Macadamizing,	5,598 53
Memorial day,	200 00
Miscellaneous,	1,329 15
Notes payable,	15,000 00
Pauper,	3,064 20
Police,	4,297 12
Police costs and fines,	53 43
Public library,	1,044 38
Printing,	506 28
Salaries,	4,908 00
Schools,	23,358 60
Sidewalks,	2,471 11
State tax,	1,145 43
Water works,	14,398 25
Dog licenses,	7 75
Repairs public buildings,	180 88
Moths,	246 59
State highway,	2,034 72
Garbage,	742 37
Street sprinkling,	100 00
Municipal water supply,	3,115 00
By balance on hand,	7,984 49
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	\$137,634 04

ARTHUR J. SEAVEY,

City Treasurer.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my third annual report as overseer of the poor, for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912. The itemized account of this department, as taken from the books of the city clerk, will be found on another page of this report. The appropriation for the assistance of dependent soldiers and their families, known as soldiers' aid, remains intact, nothing having been paid out of this amount.

## TOTAL EXPENDITURES.

Pauper account,	\$3,107 57
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Respectfully submitted,

JAMES E. CRAWFORD,  
Overseer of the Poor.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

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*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council:*

Gentlemen: In accordance with the ordinances of the city, I herewith submit to you my report of collections for the year 1911.

Tax list submitted to me for collection,	\$86,198 44
Balance on tax of 1910,	35 52
Receipts from brown-tail moths,	16 87
Added valuation,	80 61
Interest,	13 25
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Total,	\$86,344 69
Abatements made by assessors,	354 62
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	\$85,990 07
Uncollected,	148 85
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	\$85,841 22
Less commission,	1,073 01
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Amount due,	\$84,768 21
Paid Arthur J. Seavey, city treasurer,	\$84,768 21
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To abatements made by assessors for the following causes and amounts.

Excessive valuation,	\$ 43 82
Paid elsewhere, 35,	73 50
Dead, 10,	21 00
Left city, 70,	147 00
Unable to pay, sick, 4,	8 40
Duplicated, 9,	18 90
Over-age, 2,	4 20



Under-age, 17,  
United States Army, 1,

\$ 35 70

2 10

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\$354 62

MICHAEL O'MALLEY,

Tax Collector.

## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of the  
City of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the year ending February 29, 1912. During the year, I have inspected thirty-five sewer connections. This number includes the tapping of sewer mains in streets, and extension of such sewer service previously placed in buildings for the proper drainage of the several toilet and sanitary fixtures placed therein.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE J. MORIN,  
Plumbing Inspector.

## CITY MESSENGER'S REPORT.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council of the  
City of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: I have the honor to submit herewith my report as city messenger for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912.

Receipts for the month of March, 1911,	\$ 40 00
“ “ April,	115 00
“ “ May,	150 00
“ “ June,	20 00
“ “ September,	120 00
“ “ October,	130 00
“ “ November,	190 00
“ “ December,	220 00
“ “ January, 1912,	233 00
“ “ February,	237 00

Total receipts for the year,	\$1,455 00
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Amount paid to the city treasurer, Arthur J. Seavey,	\$1,400 00
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Amount on hand,	\$55 00
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Respectfully submitted,

PETER M. GAGNE,  
City Messenger.

**AUDITOR'S REPORT.**

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We hereby certify that we have examined the books and vouchers of the city clerk and find same kept in the form prescribed by city ordinances. The payments check with those made by the city treasurer and the money received by the city clerk is properly accounted for. We have also examined the books of the city treasurer, superintendent of water works, superintendent of Forest Glade cemetery, and clerk of police court, and find same correctly kept. The only accounts submitted for inspection from the city messenger are the monthly reports to the city council. We believe a book account of the transactions of this department should be kept and submitted to the auditors.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED K. WENTWORTH,  
TIMOTHY COLLINS,

Auditors.

Somersworth, N. H., May 11, 1912

## GENERAL DEBT BONDS.

List of general debt bonds outstanding, and the date of their maturity. Total amount of bonds, \$90,000.

1912,	October 1,	pay interest,	\$3,600
		pay bonds,	4,000
1913,	"	pay interest,	3,440
		pay bonds,	4,000
1914,	"	pay interest,	3,280
		pay bonds,	5,000
1915,	"	pay interest,	3,080
		pay bonds,	5,000
1916,	"	pay interest,	2,880
		pay bonds,	5,000
1917,	"	pay interest,	2,680
		pay bonds,	5,000
1918,	"	pay interest,	2,480
		pay bonds,	62,000
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			\$90,000

## WATER WORKS BONDS.

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List of water works bonds, and the date of their maturity. Total amount of bonds, \$155,000.

1912, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	\$6,200
Pay on account of bonds,	3,000
1913, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	6,080
Pay on account of bonds,	4,000
1914, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	5,920
Pay on account of bonds,	4,000
1915, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	5,760
Pay on account of bonds,	4,000
1916, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	5,600
Pay on account of bonds,	4,000
1917, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	5,440
Pay on account of bonds,	4,000
1918, October 1, pay interest on balance of bonds,	5,280
Pay on account of bonds,	132,000
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	\$155,000

# SCHEDULE OF CITY PROPERTY.

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City hall buildings and furnishings,	\$30,000 00
Chandler building,	12,000 00
Public library,	6,000 00
Schoolhouses and property,	90,000 00
Land and buildings, Pleasant street,	2,600 00
Engine house, Prospect street,	1,500 00
Engine house, Main street,	1,000 00
Fire apparatus,	4,200 00
Engine house, Washington street,	1,000 00
Storehouse and land,	1,000 00
Water works system,	193,700 00
Sewers,	28,000 00
Stone crusher plant,	50 00
Steam road roller,	3,000 00
Road machine, plow and harrow,	250 00
Snow plows,	345 00
Scraper,	30 00
Jigger, derrick, pump,	50 00
Shovels, picks, etc.,	80 00
Two-horse roller,	50 00
Receiving tomb,	1,700 00
Chapel,	10,000 00
Forest Glade cemetery,	3,500 00
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Total,	\$490,055 00

## VALUATION.

1911

Polls, 1,715,	\$ 171,500 00
Real estate,	1,921,536 00
Horses, 277,	28,125 00
Cows, 226,	6,470 00
Sheep, 6,	18 00
Hogs, 32,	222 00
Hens, 150,	75 00
Neat stock, 6,	530 00
Carriages and automobiles, 89,	13,726 00
Bank stock, resident,	128,700 00
Stock in trade,	257,086 00
Factories and machinery,	1,576,700 00
Total,	\$4,104,688 00
Increase in valuation over previous year,	\$7,614 00



## CEMETERY TRUST FUND.

Donations and legacies held by the city for the care of graves and lots, avenues and monuments in Forest Glade Cemetery, deposited in Somersworth Savings Bank as a cemetery trust fund, up to March 1, 1912.

Names of Donors.	Owners of Lots Provided For.	Amount
Jeremiah W. Orange.....	Jeremy W. Orange.....	\$200 00
Sarah Andrews.....	Elisha and Charles W. Andrews.....	200
Frederick B. Underhill.....	Frederick B. Underhill.....	25
A. A. & A. L. Frost.....	Otis A. Frost.....	50
Edward A. Rollins.....	D. G. and E. A. Rollins.....	200
Sarah A. Rollins.....	Samuel S. Rollins.....	300
Robert L. Ham.....	Robert L. Ham.....	25
Harriet L. Rollins.....	Andrew W. Rollins and others.....	300
Helen M. Twombly.....	Samuel Twombly.....	100
Mary W. Ricker.....	Mary W. Ricker.....	100
Clementina Bickford.....	Clementina Bickford.....	50
Joanna Lord.....	Joanna and Abigail Lord.....	20
Amasa Kennison.....	Amasa Kennison.....	50
Alice J. Watson.....	Daniel S. Watson.....	20
Kirk W. Moses.....	Kirk W. Moses.....	100
Charles L. Chick.....	Charles L. Chick.....	20
Mary A. Hill.....	Hannah E. Horne.....	20
Joseph S. Ricker.....	Ricker Lot No. 27, N. E.....	100
Samuel Grant.....	Samuel Grant.....	300
Calvin Rollins.....	Almira R. Wentworth.....	50
Charles H. Parker.....	Farzina R. Hurd and others.....	30
John Smilie.....	John and Lydia H. Smilie.....	125
Frances S. Huntress.....	Frances S. Huntress.....	50
Mrs. M. J. Horne.....	John Horne.....	20
Lois Merrill.....	Moses Merrill.....	50
Sophronia Hill.....	John C. Hill.....	35
Mrs. F. J. Rollins.....	Goodwin and Jordan.....	50
Joseph W. Hanson.....	Dr. Jacob C. Hanson.....	60
John B. Burrows.....	John B. Burrows.....	200
Jesse W. Whitehouse.....	S. D. and J. W. Whitehouse.....	100
Ephraim B. Stillings.....	Ephraim B. Stillings.....	25
Abbie L. Davis.....	Elizabeth Davis.....	50
Mrs. Kate J. Smith.....	Mrs. Kate J. Smith.....	100
George E. Hubbard.....	George E. Hubbard.....	50
Joshua Ham.....	Joshua Ham.....	60
Mrs. Philena Pearl.....	Mrs. Ichabod Pearl.....	50
Mary A. Prouty.....	Dexter B. Prouty.....	50
George W. Lord.....	Mary A. and Margaret Lord.....	100
Joseph Hubbard.....	Joshua R. Hubbard.....	50
Elias C. Varney.....	Elias C. Varney.....	100
Louisa T. Davis.....	David and Harrison B. Davis.....	50
Mrs. Ida Brackett.....	Mrs. Ida Brackett.....	50
Mrs. Luella J. Welch.....	Mrs. Luella J. Welch.....	50
Mrs. Olive A. Perkins.....	Enoch Perkins.....	37 50
Mrs. Olive A. Perkins.....	Elisha Andrews.....	37 50
Mrs. Betsey S. Chase.....	I. M. and C. M. Chase.....	50
Mrs. W. B. Brigham.....	Moody Pike.....	100
Mrs. Hannah E. Horne.....	James Horne.....	50
John R. Poor.....	Joshua and James T. Furber.....	300
Andrew Eastman.....	John A. Burleigh.....	300

Names of Donors.	Owners of Lots Provided For.	Amount.
Mary P. Elliott.....	Dr. Charles F. Elliott.....	\$100 00
Mary A. Legro.....	Lot 27, S. E. D.....	50
J. P. and Mary A. Dixon.....	Oliver H. and Mary W. G.S. Lord.....	100
Lucy Staples.....	Lucy Staples.....	50
Isabel S. Emery.....	Rufus W. Stevens.....	100
Caroline T. Stevens.....	Luther and Caroline T. Stevens.....	50
Brackett Dore.....	Lot 21, Div. 9.....	50
Addie D. Webber.....	James Delano.....	50
Isaac Chandler.....	Isaac Chandler.....	200
Lydia S. Hamilton.....	Silas M. Hamilton.....	50
Sidney B. Hayes, Adm'r.....	Mary B. Wentworth.....	50
Ida M. Clement.....	Lot 31, North-west.....	100
Joseph A. Stickney.....	Lot 26 and add's, Eastern Div.....	400
Betsey and Jane B. Holden.....	Wm. Holden.....	50
Sarah E. Hatch.....	Lot 1, Div. 23.....	100
Chester Allen, Elizabeth Gilson.....	Lots 14 and 16, Div. 12.....	100
Charles F. Bryant.....	Dennis O'Brien.....	50
Mrs. Lydia C. Gilman.....	Lot 25, S. W.....	100
Nancy F. Connor.....	Lot 1, Div. 14, Wm. P. Connor.....	50
Estate of Henry C. Noyes.....	Lot 10, Div. 10, Henry C. Noyes.....	50
Mrs. S. S. Chick.....	Lot 23, E. Div.....	50
Mrs. George S. Winn.....	Lot 47, N. W.....	50
Darius H. Stoddard.....	Lot 24, N. W.....	50
James Henry Porter.....	Lot 5, Div. 9.....	50
Mary A. Fernald.....	William P. Fernald.....	150
Mrs. Roxie Tibbetts.....	Lot 6, S. D., Micah and Horace B. Tibbetts.....	100
Amanda E. Fall.....	Lot 23, S. E., Noah L. Fall.....	100
Martha Gilman.....	Lot 32, S. E., Levi W. Gilman.....	100
Edwin P. Horne.....	Lot 7, Div. 5.....	100
John Pitman.....	John Pitman.....	100
Abby Pemberton.....	Abby Pemberton.....	50
J. N. Haines.....	J. N. Haines.....	50
Amasa Wentworth.....	Amasa Wentworth.....	50
Geo. W. Thompson.....	Geo. W. Thompson.....	100
John and W. B. Martin.....	John and W. B. Martin.....	25
Mrs. Hannah E. Young.....	Mrs. Hannah E. Young.....	50
Mrs. Evelyn K. Nowell.....	Lot No. 16, Div. A, southerly half.....	50
George W. Farnham.....	Lot No. 12, Div. 13.....	50
Mrs. Jennie E. James.....	Not No. 40, Div. 40.....	50
Wm. B. Martin.....	A. F. Smith, Lot No. 15.....	50
Sarah Pray.....	Pray and Noyes, Lot No. 18.....	200
Mrs. Sarah A. Shapleigh.....	James B. Shapleigh Lot.....	50
Mrs. A. A. Frost.....	O. A. Frost Lot.....	100
Mrs. Sarah E. Smith.....	Lot No. 1, Div. N. E.....	50
Susan C. Horne, Adm'r.....	James Horne Lot.....	100
Susan M. Reed.....	Joseph B. Reed.....	100
Arthur J. Seavey.....	Lot No. 8, Div. 25.....	50
George A. Foye.....	Frederick Foye.....	50
Joseph Hubbard.....	Lot No. 2, Abigail Straw.....	150
H. M. Blake.....	Lot No. 31, Hill, Blake and Coleman.....	50
J. R. Horne, Adm'r.....	Lot No. 31, Hill, Blake and Coleman.....	50
M. A. Corson.....	Lot No. 37, Ithael Allen.....	50
Lavina McCrillis.....	Lot No. 3, Div. No. 23.....	50
Mrs. E. N. Hutchins.....	Aaron Maddox Lot.....	50
H. E. Wotton.....	Lot No. 5, Div. N. W., Samuel W. and Louise N. Fox.....	50
Lizzie L. James.....	Lot No. 34, Div. S. E., John James.....	50
Elizabeth F. Randall.....	Lot No. 12, Div. 9, John H., Noah M. and Reuben Randall.....	100
Olie Hammond.....	Lot D., S. E., Olie Hammond.....	75
Mary A. Rand.....	Lot 8, Div. 2, Mary A. Rand.....	50
Irene Lougee.....	Lot A, S. Div., Irene Lougee.....	100
George B. McLlwaine.....	Lot No. 69, Div. N. W., Wm. Lee.....	100
Alvira Andrews.....	John W. Babb.....	100
David H. Stacy.....	Hayson Gilman, Lot No. 1, Div. 16.....	50
J. I. H. Lowe.....	Almira R. Wentworth.....	50
Mary J. Cochrane.....	Mary J. Cowell, Lot No. 4, Div. 19, S. E.....	50

Names of Donors.	Owners of Lots Provided For.	Amount.
Sarah A. Shapleigh.....	Dr. Richard Russell.....	\$100 00
Frank H. Stacy.....	Lot No. 23, David H. Stacy.....	100
A. Demeritt.....	Joseph C. Woodman, Sarah A. Pierce.....	25
Estate Mary E. Bagley.....	O. J. Bagley.....	100
F. A. Hussey.....	Samuel James.....	100
Lizzie Angell.....	John James.....	50
Mrs. E. J. Harding.....	Lot No. 25, N. W. Div.....	50
Fred H. Roberts.....	Lot 11, Div. 25.....	100
Lillian Morgan, Wm. T. Lord.....	Lot 11, Div. N. W., in name of John H. Horn.....	50
O. L. Shapleigh.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	50
E. J. Ward.....	Lot No. 4, N. W. Div.....	50
Martha R. Nash.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	50
Mary Dyer.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	100
Brackett Dorr.....	Income to be used for flowers.....	50
E. S. Fall and C. S. Page.....	Lot No. 98, Div. 21.....	100
David Scott.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	100
Brackett Dorr.....	For flowers for Decoration Day.....	200
Annie L. Seavey.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	100
H. Linwood Langley.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	50
E. B. Stillings.....	Perpetual care of lot.....	75
Mrs. Lavina Davis.....	Artemas Pratt.....	100
Mrs. Lavina Davis.....	James and Amanda Hanson.....	100
Mrs. Lavina Davis.....	Owen W. Davis.....	100
Dorcas and Ida B. Smith.....	Lot of Levi F. Smith.....	100
John R. Chamberlain.....	Perpetual care.....	100
J. E. Whitney.....	Perpetual care of lot of Annie E. Hurd.....	100
Mary A. Legro.....	J. S. Legro.....	100
Mrs. Stephen B. Jenness.....	Stephen B. Jenness.....	100
Elizabeth F. Hume.....	Perpetual care of Fielden lot.....	100
Edwin F. Gowell.....	Georgiana E. Nute.....	75
Sarah I. Barnett.....	Charles E. Swasey.....	50
Alice M. Edgerly.....	James A. Edgerly.....	100
Mary E. Cayzor.....	Mary E. Cayzor.....	100
Leola S. Worthen.....	Leola S. Worthen.....	50
Mrs. E. S. Roberts.....	Mrs. E. S. Roberts.....	100
Mrs. L. E. Grant.....	Ella O. Ricker.....	50
George I. Roberts.....	Silas Roberts.....	100
Susan H. Pierce.....	Susan H. Pierce.....	100
Susan H. Pierce.....	Henry H. Brackett.....	25
William H. Tasker.....	William H. Tasker.....	25
Mercy Kennett.....	Robert Hussey.....	100
Mary A. Kidder and Eliza Gordon.....	Cole, Kidder and Gordon lot.....	100
Mary F. Durgin.....	Mary J. Hopkins.....	50
William M. Nute.....	William M. Nute.....	100
Charles H. Faunce.....	William Farrar.....	150
H. E. Feineman.....	Baruch Family.....	50
Chas. E. Lougee.....	Dearborn Lougee.....	200
Addie Chadbourne.....	Daniel Chadbourne and E. B. White.....	50
Emily A. Messer.....	Chas. Messer.....	50
Est. Achsah Hill.....	Isaac Hanson lot.....	100
Mrs. H. F. Oliver.....	Charles Libbey.....	100
Jennie L. Littlefield.....	Jennie L. Littlefield.....	50
Alpheus L. Faunce.....	Alpheus L. Faunce.....	100
Brock, Adm'r.....	Benjamin Stevens, Dover road.....	400
Elizabeth Flynn.....	Care and flowers, lot John Ryan, Holy Trinity cemetery.....	140
Est. Eugene McCarthy.....	Lot in Holy Trinity cemetery.....	190 37
L. E. Grant, M. D.....	L. E. Grant, M. D.....	50
J. H., W. B., and Ida A. Earle.....	J. H., W. B., and Ida A. Earle.....	50
Mary Shroeder.....	Mary Shroeder.....	50
Estate of Fannie H. Moore.....	Estate of Fannie H. Moore.....	50
A. L. Richards.....	A. D. Faunce.....	150
W. Severance.....	Leola Worthen and Alphonso Lord lot.....	72 98
John B. Ham.....	L. R. Hersom.....	50
Leavitt C. Horne.....	Leavitt C. Horne.....	50
Prescott B. Kinsman.....	Prescott B. Kinsman.....	50
Total.....		\$15,353 35

# STATEMENT MADE UP FROM THE BOOKS OF THE CITY CLERK.

## Salaries.

Thomas J. Dougherty, mayor,	\$200 00
Arthur J. Seavey, city treasurer,	200 00
Christopher H. Wells, justice of police court,	500 00
Eldorus B. White, clerk of police court,	200 00
Fred H. Brown, city solicitor,	400 00
Peter Perreault, Jr., street commissioner,	750 00
Paul LaBonte, city clerk,	600 00
Peter M. Gagne, city messenger,	450 00
Paul LaBonte, help hired, city clerk's office,	260 00
Joseph Bourque, sanitary officer,	180 00
Napoleon Leduc, M. D., city physician,	100 00
James E. Crawford, overseer of the poor,	50 00
Martin V. B. Wentworth, assessor,	125 00
Joseph Gregoire, assessor and clerk of board,	175 00
Daniel Leary, assessor,	125 00
Sidney F. Stevens, probation officer,	100 00
Walter J. Gilbert, clock winder,	30 00
Fred K. Wentworth, auditor,	25 00
Timothy Collins, auditor,	25 00
Eugene Morin, plumbing inspector,	50 00
Edward H. Farley, chief engineer,	70 00
George Letourneau, first assistant engineer,	60 00
Alexcie LaBonte, second assistant engineer,	60 00
Walter R. Tebbetts, supervisor, ward 1,	15 00
Timothy Collins, supervisor, ward 2.	15 00
Israel Perreault, supervisor, ward 3,	15 00
Patrick Quinlan, supervisor, ward 4,	15 00
Peter M. Gagne, supervisor, ward 5,	15 00
Charles Goding, moderator, ward 1,	3 00
Fred H. Brown, moderator, ward 2,	3 00
Deus Couturier, moderator, ward 3,	3 00

Edward Letourneau, moderator, ward 4,	\$3 00
George J. Frechette, moderator, ward 5,	3 00
Charles A. Wentworth, selectman, ward 1,	3 00
John H. Blaisdell, selectman, ward 1,	3 00
Lazard Carrier, selectman, ward 1,	3 00
James T. Noonan, selectman, ward 2,	3 00
Cyrille Doucet, selectman, ward 2,	3 00
Archie L. Jacques, selectman, ward 2,	3 00
Joshua G. Bragdon, selectman, ward 3,	3 00
Peter Gahagan, selectman, ward 3,	3 00
Alphonse Carignan, selectman, ward 3,	3 00
Francis Beamish, selectman, ward 4,	3 00
Charles E. Brown, selectman, ward 4,	3 00
Hilaire Bisson, selectman, ward 4,	3 00
Samuel E. Wicks, selectman, ward 5,	3 00
George Gagne, selectman, ward 5,	3 00
Adelard Demers, selectman, ward 5,	3 00
Ralph C. Kimmens, ward clerk, ward 1,	3 00
Walter J. Gilbert, ward clerk, ward 2,	3 00
Timothy J. Cullinan, ward clerk, ward 3,	3 00
Philius Desmarais, ward clerk, ward 4,	3 00
Joseph Bourque, ward clerk, ward 5,	3 00
Edmund P. Vermette, janitor, ward 2,	2 00
Joseph A. Gagne, janitor, ward 3,	2 00
John Loughlin, janitor, ward 4,	2 00
Sylvester L. Curley, janitor, ward 5,	4 00
Hugh McGuinness, gate tender, ward 4,	2 00
Alfred Morin, gate tender, ward 4,	2 00
Total,	<hr/> \$4,899 00
Appropriation,	\$4,800 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	67 34
Transferred from soldiers' aid account,	31 66
	<hr/> \$4,899 00

## Police Court Fines and Fees.

Receipts,		\$610 00
Rumford Printing Co., printing and supplies,	\$13 85	
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	11 65	
Sidney B. Smith, services at court,	10 00	
Cyrille Doucette, services and arrests,	8 77	
Loren D. Casler, services, travelling, etc.,	5 85	
Robert Meiklejohn, witness fee,	1 54	
Paul Breton, team hire in arrest,	1 00	
John Morrison, witness fee,	77	
Total,	\$ 53 43	
Transferred to schools account,	556 57	
		\$610 00

## Liquor License Account.

Receipts,		\$4,795 02
Transferred to pauper account,	\$1,907 57	
Transferred to state tax account,	1,565 85	
Transferred to band concerts account,	250 00	
Transferred to moths account,	246 59	
Transferred to damages account,	175 00	
Transferred to Chandler building account,	31 98	
Transferred to street lights account,	17 80	
Transferred to printing account,	6 28	
Transferred to city hall account,	104 47	
Transferred to interest account,	382 14	
Transferred to salaries account,	67 34	
	\$4,755 02	
Unexpended balance,	40 00	
		\$4,795 02

## Fire Department.

The Gamewell Fire Alarm and Telegraph Co., furnishing and installing fire alarm system, as per contract,	\$2,280 00
The Gamewell Fire Alarm and Telegraph Co., additional improvements to fire alarm system,	493 95
Rescue Hook and Ladder Co., pay roll,	840 00
Deluge Hose Co., No. 1, pay roll,	640 00
Alert Hose Co., No. 2, pay roll,	640 00
Deluge Hose Co., No. 3, pay roll,	640 00
Conqueror Hose Co., No. 4, pay roll,	440 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	117 50
The C. E. Brewster Co., supplies,	17 50
Joseph Vachon, trucking,	15 25
C. Everett Ricker, stock and labor,	22 30
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., service, chief engineer,	20 25
Edward H. Farley, taking care of fire alarm system,	31 25
John McGurty, trucking,	19 00
Great Falls Bleachery and Dye Works, supplies,	37 34
Crosby Steam Guage and Valve Co., supplies,	38 00
The Gamewell Fire Alarm and Telegraph Co., supplies,	61 80
The C. C. C. Fire Hose and Rubber Co., sup- plies,	83 37
Ernest A. Lothrop, supplies,	10 55
Riley & Murnane, supplies,	12 99
Theodore Madore, labor and team, Rogers brush fire,	10 00
Walter Blaisdell, labor and team, Rogers brush fire,	15 75
Lloyd L. Bean, taking care of fire alarm system,	50 00
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	10 00
George W. Nutter, supplies,	17 50



Herbert H. Harvey, stock and labor,	\$16 25
Paul Breton, fuel,	11 76
Somersworth Water Works, water rent,	30 00
Ruel & Co., fuel,	34 63
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	6 68
Joseph U. Gagnon, trucking,	1 00
Elmer E. Hussey, repairs,	6 00
American Express Co., expressage,	3 60
Jeremiah Murray, watching fire,	2 00
Patrick Bohan, watching fire,	2 00
Paul Breton, trucking,	5 25
A. B. Gosselin & Co., supplies,	5 30
Napoleon Prue, trucking,	2 34
Jeremiah Murray, services, Hussey brush fire,	2 00
John Mills, services, Hussey brush fire,	2 00
Edward H. Farley, services, Hussey brush fire,	2 00
Fred Fournier, services, Hussey brush fire,	2 00
John Hanaghan, services, Hussey brush fire,	2 00
Daniel Johnson, services, Vachon fire,	2 00
Harry T. Bowden, services, Vachon fire,	2 00
Daniel Johnson, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
John Beamish, services, Vachon fire,	7 00
John Hodsdon, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
James Flanagan, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
W. Ashton Horn, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Omer Nadeau, services, Vachon fire,	8 00
Harry T. Bowden, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Cyrille Valle, services, Vachon fire,	5 00
John Lebreux, services, Vachon fire,	5 00
John P. Murnane, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Frank P. Kearns, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Daniel Donovan, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Michael Guy, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
Michael Leary, services, Vachon fire,	2 00
Joseph Joyal, services, Vachon fire,	5 00
Patrick Hourihane, services, Vachon fire,	2 00



Alexcie LaBonte, services, Vachon fire,	\$5 00
Patrick E. Leary, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
George Lord, services, Vachon fire,	2 00
Michael Riley, services, Vachon fire,	5 00
Edward E. Donahue, services, Vachon fire,	3 00
John Mills, services, Vachon fire,	8 00
George Letourneau, services Vachon fire,	5 00
Joseph N. Morin, services, Rogers brush fire,	2 00
Michael G. Casey, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 50
George Aldrich, services, Rogers brush fire,	8 00
Alexandre Goulet, services, Rogers brush fire,	2 00
George Gauvin, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
William Donovan, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
Frank Chick, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 50
Telesphore St. Laurent, Rogers brush fire,	2 00
Edward H. Tate, services, Rogers brush fire,	8 00
Charles H. Burge, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
Henry Langevin, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Archie Gilbert, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Arthur Goulet, services, Rogers brush fire,	4 00
A. J. Martin, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 25
Joseph Lariviere, services, Rogers brush fire,	6 00
Israel Perreault, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
John E. Hanaghan, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Omer Raymond, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Edward H. Farley, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
Joseph Gagnon, services, Rogers brush fire,	7 00
John O'Malley, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Anthony Berry, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Alfred Perreault, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Harry Ledger, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
James Casey, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Fred Fournier, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Patrick Bohan, services, Rogers brush fire,	4 00
Jeremiah Murray, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00
Charles King, services, Rogers brush fire,	5 00

John F. Mullen, services, Rogers brush fire,	\$2 00
Leo B. Decatur, services, Rogers brush fire,	2 00
Harry Chick, services, Rogers brush fire,	2 00
Donald Blue, repairs on gong,	1 83
Willey and Emmons, supplies,	4 45
Charles M. Farley, damage to fence during Vachon fire,	5 00
Twin State Gas and Electric Co., supplies,	2 40
The Sweetser-Sanborn Co., supplies,	4 95
Edmund P. Vermette, care of engine house, July 4th, 1911,	2 00
Omer Raymond, care of engine house, July 4th, 1911,	2 00
Sylvester L. Curley, care of engine house, July 4th, 1911,	2 00
Samuel Bernstein, trucking,	2 50
Ruel & Co., labor and team, Rogers brush fire,	4 00
Frank P. Kearns, labor and team, Rogers brush fire,	4 00
James A. Kearns, supplies,	5 00
Nelson Bush, services, Rogers brush fire,	3 00
Albert A. Tapscott, stock and labor,	9 35
John Rowland, trucking,	1 00
Aldana Peavey, repairs,	1 50
John C. Hurd, supplies,	6 48
Charles J. McGuinness, stock and labor,	5 00
Ernest A. Lothrop, carfare and expense to Laconia, on account of compressed air whis- tle,	5 59
Charles J. McGuinness, carfare and expense to Laconia, on account of compressed air whis- tle,	5 59
First Free Baptist society, use of bell for fire alarm,	5 00
Strafford-York Gas Co., gas,	7 97
George Hodgdon, services, Hussey fire,	2 50
Edward Letourneau, watching fire,	2 00

John Riley, watching fire,	\$2 00
Edward H. Farley, watching fire,	2 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., supplies,	75
John Millos, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Costas Calafayos, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Alex Diamantis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Costas Chichlas, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Nicholas Crirdis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
James Stamatouras, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
George Cacarinis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Sideris Peditis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Gonk Calogerakis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
John Calaxiotis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
George Cedonas, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Nicholas Alexion, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Costas Papadopoulos, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Costas Stafapoulos, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Nicholas Catrakis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Satiris Catrakis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
John Papas, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
John Sipras, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00
Nicholas Celatinis, services, Rogers brush fire,	1 00

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Total expenditures,	\$7,036 22
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Appropriation,	\$3,700 00
Received from the state,	203 08
Raised by city's note,	2,850 79
Transferred from state highway account,	282 35

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Total,	\$7,036 22
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## Police Account.

Charles P. Andrews, city marshal,	\$494 72
Charles L. Estes, city marshal,	416 84
Charles L. Estes, assistant marshal,	362 50
Henry A. Joy, assistant officer,	368 00
Henry A. Joy, officer,	362 00
Thomas C. Joyal, officer,	496 00
Evangeliste LaBonte, officer,	727 00
Theodore Biladeau, officer,	388 00
John E. Weeden, officer,	156 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	61 68
New England Tel. and Tel. Co., service,	42 70
Walter S. Lawson, commissioner,	50 00
Samuel Welch, commissioner,	50 00
George F. Hill, commissioner and clerk,	76 53
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	11 00
Edgar J. Martel, supplies,	15 75
Joseph Sirois, special officer,	13 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	55 50
Yarmouth Erbe Manufacturing Co., supplies,	18 68
Edwin W. Folsom, supplies,	14 75
John W. Morrill, meals to prisoners,	38 60
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	2 10
Joseph G. Deshaies, special officer,	8 00
Fred Fournier, special officer,	4 00
Arthur Laliberte, special officer,	4 00
Leon Laliberte, special officer,	4 00
Spyrus Papajohn, special officer,	4 00
Theodore Biladeau, special officer,	4 00
Kenny King, special officer,	4 00
John McGrail, special officer,	4 00
Patrick Murphy, special officer,	4 00
Joseph M. Mathews, hack hire,	1 00
Daniel Wingate, services,	7 50
William E. Fellows, services,	2 00

Fred W. Spence, moving safe,	\$3 00
Myron Goodwin, labor and supplies,	3 37
Lloyd L. Bean, services,	2 00
Frank L. Tibbetts, supplies,	2 00
A. B. Gosselin & Co., supplies,	20
Great Falls Gas Light Co., supplies,	30
City Steam Laundry, supplies,	45
Charles L. Estes, expense to Durham,	50
Strafford-York Gas Co., supplies,	50
James W. Murray, supplies,	55
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Total expenditures,	\$4,284 72
Transferred to highway account,	115 28
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Total,	\$4,400 00
Appropriation,	4,400 00

#### Forest Glade Cemetery.

George A. Pinkham, superintendent and clerk's services,	\$547 50
Aaron Gray, labor,	258 75
P. Edward Leary, labor,	140 25
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	103 19
James A. Locke, loam,	75 00
John Roberge, labor,	63 75
George Gagne, labor,	58 50
Henry Fournier, labor,	42 75
Somersworth Grain Co., grain,	47 35
Joseph A. Casgrain, labor and team,	30 00
Forest L. Bickford, labor and team,	33 00
Charles C. Varney, labor,	35 25
Lorenzo D. Otis, labor and team,	18 00
Charles J. McGuinness, trimming brown-tail moths,	22 00
Freeman A. Hussey, stable rent,	24 00
James W. Murray, supplies,	11 77

Ernest Heon, labor,	\$12 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, labor and team and supplies,	36 93
Edmond Marquis, labor,	26 25
David Marquis, turf,	12 85
George S. Ramsburg, flowers and plants,	20 75
Somersworth Post Office, supplies,	21 24
Alfred Boucher, trimming brown-tail moths,	18 00
George F. Hill, signs,	11 25
Ovila St. Jean, repairs and supplies,	10 60
Harry A. Day, repairs and supplies,	10 35
James A. Tebbetts, supplies,	47 03
Henry Routhier, labor,	12 00
Charles King, labor,	13 50
James Madden, labor,	3 00
George Vachon, labor,	9 00
Nellie E. Kearns, typewriting annual report and clerical work,	4 50
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	3 00
Joseph Poulin, labor,	7 50
Edwin Marquis, labor,	4 50
Albert E. J. Hurd, grass,	1 50
Wimpfheimer & Co., supplies,	1 40
Paul Breton, labor and team,	7 55
Ephrem Boucher, repairs on tools,	2 95
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	8 75
Myron Goodwin, lumber and labor,	3 11
Mrs. Sarah Sanborn, hay,	2 00
Ernest S. Foss, labor and team,	4 00
John C. Nutter, supplies,	2 62
Leonard O. Day, supplies,	7 87
James Morrison, labor,	3 00
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$1,840 06
Unexpended balance,	348 74
Total,	<hr/> \$2,188 80

Appropriation,	\$600 00	
Receipts,	1,050 00	
Trust fund income,	538 80	
	<hr/>	\$2,188 80

### City Hall Account.

The Twin State Gas and Electric Co., lighting,	\$466 25
Paul Breton, coal,	336 79
Great Falls Gas Co., gas,	128 41
Paul LaBonte, insurance,	104 60
Joseph Deshaies, special officer at opera house,	99 00
James A. Flanagan, electrician at opera house,	67 50
James H. Joyce, insurance,	58 75
Strafford-York Gas Co., gas,	48 90
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	44 97
West Disinfecting Co., supplies,	34 00
Auguste Bouchard, trucking,	15 75
James K. Horne, stock and labor,	14 75
C. Everett Ricker, stock and labor,	11 77
Peter M. Gagne, supplies,	10 75
A. B. Gosselin & Co., supplies,	13 91
James A. Kearns, supplies,	11 25
Somersworth Water Works, water rent,	5 50
James W. Murray, stock and labor,	4 48
Alfred St. Laurent, supplies,	5 67
Harry A. Day, stock and labor,	4 00
Charles C. Bunker, stock and labor,	2 65
Merrick R. Jones, supplies,	2 80
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	3 15
Joseph Plante, supplies,	1 60
Wimpfheimer & Co., supplies,	2 07
Alexander Stewart, stock and labor,	1 95
Somersworth Grocery Co., supplies,	80
Joseph Ruel, repairs,	75
Joseph LaBonte, supplies,	70

William E. Fellows, polish,	\$ 1 00
Total expenditures,	\$1,504 47
Receipts,	\$1,400 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	104 47
Total,	\$1,504 47

#### Moths Account.

Michael Stanton, contract, trimming brown-tail moths,	\$200 00
John Gagne, labor,	10 40
Charles McGuinness, labor,	10 30
Peter Sevigny, labor,	4 00
Forest L. Bickford, labor,	3 50
Michael Stanton, labor,	1 00
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	1 50
Geo. J. Foster & Co., advertising,	6 99
Joseph Perron, team hire,	4 50
Charles F. Crockett, labor,	1 00
Wilfred Willette, printing and supplies,	3 40
Total expenditures,	\$246 59
Transferred from liquor license account,	\$246 59

#### Memorial Day.

Littlefield Post, No. 8, G. A. R.,	\$200 00
Appropriation,	\$200 00

#### County Tax.

Charles C. Goss, treasurer,	\$9,503 52
Appropriation,	\$9,503 52



**Miscellaneous License Account.**

Central Park theatre,	\$100 00
Moving picture shows,	33 26
Pool table licenses,	85 00
Peddler's licenses,	154 00
Junk dealers' licenses,	105 00
Total,	<u>\$477 26</u>
Transferred to highway account,	\$477 26

**Soldiers' Aid Account.**

Appropriation,	\$50 00
Transferred to salaries account,	\$31 66
Unexpended balance,	<u>18 34</u>
Total,	\$50 00

**Printing.**

The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	\$420 28
Wilfred Willette, printing and supplies,	20 50
George G. Neal, binding reports,	38 00
Ernest A. Lothrop, printing and supplies,	27 50
Total expenditures,	<u>\$506 28</u>
Appropriation,	\$500 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	<u>6 28</u>
Total,	\$506 28

**Notes Payable.**

Somersworth Savings Bank,	\$15,000 00
Total,	\$15,000 00

**State Tax.**

Solon A. Carter, state treasurer,		\$11,032 00
Paid State of New Hampshire,	\$1,145 43	
Received from state, railroad tax,	1,572 54	
Received from insurance tax,	33 75	
Received from savings bank tax,	7,859 86	
Received from literary fund,	420 42	
Total,		\$11,032 00

**Municipal Water Supply.**

Somersworth Water Works,	\$3,115 00
Appropriation,	\$3,115 00

**Street Sprinkling.**

Joseph U. Gagnon,	\$100 00
Appropriation,	\$100 00

**Street Lights.**

The Twin State Gas & Electric Co., service,	\$6,382 80
Appropriation,	\$6,365 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	17 80
	\$6,382 80

**Water Works Bonds.**

Old Colony Trust Co.,	\$3,000 00
Appropriation,	\$3,000 00

**Garbage Account.**

John B. Lavoie, services as collector of garbage,	\$738 00
John B. Lavoie, distributing garbage blanks,	4 37
Unexpended balance,	7 63
Total,	\$750 00
Appropriation,	\$750 00

**General Debt Bonds.**

Old Colony Trust Co.,	\$4,000 00
Appropriation,	\$4,000 00

**Interest on Notes Account.**

Somersworth Savings Bank,	\$1,783 64
George B. McElwaine,	318 50
Maria S. McElwaine,	105 00
William B. McElwaine,	70 00
Benjamin F. Hayes,	52 50
Clara L. Hayes,	52 50
Total expenditures,	\$2,382 14
Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	382 14
	<u>\$2,382 14</u>

**Interest on General Indebtedness Bonds.**

Old Colony Trust Co.,	\$3,760 00
Appropriation,	\$3,760 00

**Dog License Account.**

Receipts,	\$389 80
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	\$1 75
The Free Press Publishing Co., publishing dog notice,	3 00
Lunn L. Hamblett, hens killed by dogs,	3 00
Total expenditures,	\$ 7 75
Transferred to school account,	382 05
Total,	<u>\$389 80</u>

## Public Library Account.

Frances D. Hurd, librarian,	\$424 00
Chivers Book Binding Co., repairs and books,	138 73
The Twin State Gas and Electric Co., lighting,	84 91
Mutual Subscription Agency, subscriptions,	78 90
J. L. Hammett Co., books and supplies,	67 03
Fortunat J. Gagnon, insurance,	47 25
Paul Breton, fuel,	40 50
Frances D. Hurd, services as janitor,	46 50
H. W. Wilson Co., books,	31 15
W. B. Clarke Co., books,	25 67
Ben L. Pearson, janitor,	13 50
Edwin Chick, janitor,	12 00
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	6 32
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	3 41
The Schoenhof Book Co., books,	9 88
Caroline E. Himebaugh, books,	2 55
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	2 60
Freud & Co., books,	4 10
Ginn & Co., books,	5 36
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	7 38
Strafford-York Gas Co., gas,	3 10
The H. R. Hunting Co., books,	8 05
A. B. Gosselin & Co., services,	1 70
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$1,064 59
Unexpended balance,	56 43
Total,	<hr/> \$1,121 02
Appropriation,	\$600 00
Appropriation, special,	437 70
Chandler trust fund income,	35 30
Balance, 1910,	48 02
Total,	<hr/> \$1,121 02

## Sidewalks.

Henry Jacques, concreting,	\$1,233 00
Somersworth Grain Co., cement,	213 47
Pierre Perreault, labor,	99 47
Francois Roberge, labor,	63 97
Fred Trembley, labor,	86 12
Patrick Riley, labor,	66 31
John Roberge, labor,	64 64
Louis Boucher, labor,	45 69
Joseph Paquette, labor,	60 94
Edmund Leclerc, labor,	60 85
Joseph Moisan, labor,	65 09
Moses Doran, labor,	41 32
Pierre Fortier, labor,	20 31
James McKeon, labor,	36 26
Elzear Tanguay, labor,	25 37
Fred Morin, labor,	27 22
George Gagne, labor,	29 06
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	79 78
Albert Gaudette, labor and team,	10 00
Alexcie LaBonte, labor and team,	45 11
Pierre Levasseur, labor and team,	10 00
Ludger Bolduc, labor and team,	16 44
Auguste Bouchard, trucking,	10 00
Napoleon H. Gilbert, gravel,	16 90
Joseph Vachon, labor and team,	5 49
George Berry, labor,	5 83
Hubert St. Pierre, labor,	5 83
Adolphe Cote, labor,	8 45
Edmund Poulin, labor,	5 83
Samuel N. Wicks, labor,	1 75
Pierce Mullen, labor,	1 75
John Perreault, labor,	1 75
John W. Coyle, labor,	1 75
George Lebel, labor,	1 75

John McGurty, labor and team,	\$ 50
Napoleon Prue, labor and team,	50
Ulderich Vezeau, labor,	87
Elie Mailloux, labor,	87
Arthur Goulet, labor,	87
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Total expense,	\$2,471 11
Transferred to highway account,	11 57
Unexpended balance,	17 32
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Total,	\$2,500 00
Appropriation,	\$2,500 00

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#### Highways.

Pierre Perreault, labor,	\$503 19
Francis Roberge, labor,	394 41
Fred Trembley, labor,	359 91
Patrick Riley, labor,	208 53
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	228 30
Auguste Bouchard, labor and team,	248 64
Joseph Vachon, labor and team,	258 71
Joseph Casgrain, labor and team,	101 59
Joseph Moisan, labor,	151 98
James Morrison, labor,	118 71
Kirke Worster, labor and team,	100 40
Michael Stanton, spraying trees,	127 50
Adolphe Cote, labor,	149 91
Pierre Levasseur, labor and team,	123 24
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	61 00
Myron Goodwin, lumber,	33 92
Paul LaBonte, insurance on storehouse,	22 20
Charles F. Crockett, labor,	28 98
Moses H. Pray, labor,	11 20
Freeman A. Hussey, rent for storing sand,	10 00
George F. Moore, labor,	47 50

Louis Boucher, labor,	\$85 36
Albert Gaudette, labor and team,	50 34
Mrs. Charles Roy, sand,	15 60
Theodore Madore, labor and team,	12 00
J. A. Tebbetts & Son, supplies,	63 68
Orrin Billings, labor and team,	14 00
Hubert St. Pierre, labor,	24 11
Oscar L. Guptill, labor,	13 00
Joseph Paquette, labor,	71 94
Lorenzo D. Otis, labor and team,	57 04
Joshua G. Bragdon, labor and team,	44 98
Azarie B. Jeneau, rent of storehouse,	24 00
Adolphe Lacourse, labor,	38 99
Joseph Loughlin, labor,	13 28
John G. Libby, labor,	15 38
Arthur Goulet, labor,	41 22
John Davis, labor,	12 83
Patrick Bohan, labor,	14 98
George Gagne, labor,	18 08
J. Albert Linscott, labor,	13 81
Theodule Bisson, labor,	33 93
Henry Routhier, labor,	38 18
Elzear Tanguay, labor,	13 71
William Lowd, labor,	41 47
Alexcie LaBonte, labor and team,	52 78
David Marquis, labor and team,	30 25
John McGurty, labor and team,	32 12
Ludger Bolduc, labor and team,	38 12
Julian St. Laurent, labor,	14 19
W. Ashton Horn, labor and team,	31 33
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	19 00
C. W. Fall & Co., one plow,	15 00
Paul LaBonte, insurance on steam road roller,	37 00
Edmond Leclerc, labor,	29 55
Joseph Gaudette, labor,	11 67

John Roberge, labor,	\$32 95
Fred Morin, labor,	26 24
H. Frank Gowen, lumber,	34 21
Town of Berwick, stock and labor on Eddy bridge,	25 76
Napoleon Tanguay, labor,	17 20
Fred Parre, labor,	13 91
Jesse R. Horne, lumber,	18 42
Paul Breton, labor and team,	13 25
Joseph Perron, labor,	29 63
Frank Moore, labor,	19 25
William M. Ames, labor,	56 00
Joseph Provencalle, labor,	11 38
Rochester Foundry and Machine Co., supplies,	57 60
Henry Cochrane, lumber and labor,	20 00
Charles Lemieux, labor,	1 75
Joseph Gregoire, labor,	6 34
Daniel Sullivan, labor,	2 73
John Perreault, labor,	2 72
John M. Varney, labor,	2 00
Eugene Morin, labor,	9 92
Frank Varney, labor,	2 00
Joseph Poulin, labor,	8 56
Michel Lessard, labor,	1 56
Jacob Mason, labor,	3 89
William Hanson, labor,	6 00
Walter S. Otis, labor,	3 50
Treffle Leclerc, labor,	3 11
Joseph Hill, labor,	5 00
Hypolite Gauvin, repairs,	8 00
Thomas Beland, labor,	1 17
Patrick Rowan, labor,	3 89
Ludger Perron, labor,	4 38
J. William Coyle, labor,	7 00
Patrick Hanaghan, labor,	7 00
George Vachon, labor,	7 00



James McKeon, labor,	\$7 00
Joseph Roy, labor,	7 50
Romain Couture, labor,	1 50
Elmore W. Hanscom, labor,	2 00
George Lessard, labor,	7 00
Joseph Plante, supplies,	9 55
John B. Lavoie, labor,	1 83
Fred Heon, labor,	2 85
Joseph U. Gagnon, labor and team,	1 00
Maurice Chick, labor,	6 81
John Sequin, labor,	7 00
William Demers, labor,	7 00
John Brennan, labor,	7 00
Thomas Mullen, labor,	5 25
Patrick McCarthy, labor,	2 14
Emile Nadeau, labor,	1 56
Orelle Breton, labor,	2 73
Arthur Lebreux, labor,	6 12
Arthur Turcotte, labor,	5 25
Henry Fillion, labor,	5 25
John Kearns, labor,	6 81
Henry Parre, labor,	6 81
John Sullivan, labor,	1 75
John Thibeault, labor,	9 14
Telesphore St. Laurent, labor,	7 00
Forest L. Bickford, labor,	3 50
Paul Breton, fuel for steam road roller,	1 43
Neas Demers, labor,	3 30
Napoleon Defosse, labor,	3 30
Joseph Guilmette, labor,	3 50
Louis Ruel, labor and team,	9 30
Frank Martin, labor,	8 38
Edmond Poulin, labor,	5 25
George Lebel, labor,	5 83
George Berry, labor,	4 37
Arthur Madden, labor,	4 50

John Newell, labor,	\$6 81
Michael Guy, labor,	1 75
Henry Lacourse, labor,	6 81
Charles M. Robinson, labor,	6 81
Samuel N. Wicks, labor,	6 81
Oliver Lefebvre, labor,	6 81
Francis Lassonde, labor,	6 81
George Smith, labor,	6 81
Joseph Lariviere, labor,	88
Eugene Tatro, labor,	97
James W. Murray, supplies,	83
Fred Demers, labor,	58
Arthur Chamberlin, labor,	58
Joseph Leclerc, labor,	98
Archille Vachon, labor,	39
Emile Turgeon, labor,	98
Romeo Nadeau, labor,	98
Ernest Perron, labor,	78
Fred Gagne, labor,	78

Total,	\$5,054 74
Appropriation,	\$4,000 00
Transferred from miscellaneous ac- count,	450 63
Transferred from miscellaneous license account,	477 26
Transferred from police account,	115 28
Transferred from sidewalks account,	11 57
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#### Chandler Building.

Charlotte M. Chandler, rent,	\$ 400 00
James H. Joyce, insurance,	22 50
Charles C. Bunker, stock and labor,	12 94
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	7 49

Somersworth Water Works, water rent,	\$5 50
Auguste Bouchard, trucking,	4 30
Strafford-York Gas Co., gas,	2 13
Paul Breton, wood,	1 59
Arthur J. Seavey, supplies,	1 38
Alfred St. Laurent, supplies,	85
A. B. Gosselin & Co., services,	75
Alexander Stewart, setting glass,	55
Total expenditures,	<u>\$459 98</u>

Receipts,	\$428 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	<u>31 98</u>
	\$459 98

#### School Account.

Teachers' pay roll, services,	\$14,019 50
Janitors' pay roll, services,	1,725 00
Frank S. Sutcliffe, superintendent,	1,700 00
Paul Breton, coal and wood,	1,537 89
John E. Sullivan, services as secretary,	100 00
Edgar J. Gagnon, truant officer,	150 00
Dover, Somersworth and Rochester Street Rail- way, transportation,	172 00
Joseph A. Casgrain, transportation,	500 00
Derby Desk Co., furniture,	407 40
Somersworth Water Works, water rent,	138 34
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	106 51
Albert A. Tapscott, stock and labor,	102 92
Henry Jacques, repairs,	100 08
William H. Wiggins, piano,	225 00
Edward E. Babb & Co., books and supplies,	376 50
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	157 23
American Book Co., music and books,	113 47
Milton Bradley & Co., supplies,	53 66
Chas. E. Merrill & Co., books,	22 25

Parker P. Simmons, books,	\$12 50
Allyn & Bacon, books,	20 65
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	16 00
Little, Brown & Co., books,	65 44
C. C. Birchard & Co., supplies,	12 30
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., books,	12 25
Ginn & Co., books and supplies,	76 73
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	51 71
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	25 20
D. Appleton & Co., books,	12 63
Louis Gregoire, care of lawn at High school,	25 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., supplies,	56 80
Ernest S. Foss, wood,	24 00
Riley and Murnane, supplies,	27 89
Alvin F. Pease, commission for securing Miss Ruth McGregor as teacher,	30 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	15 25
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	76 55
Nellie E. Kearns, compiling and typewriting annual report,	10 00
The Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	17 16
George F. Wells, stamped envelopes,	21 24
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., service,	26 40
A. G. Bernier & Son, repairs,	36 00
Fortunat J. Gagnon, insurance,	60 00
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	37 65
Charles H. Harmon, supplies,	44 61
James W. Murray, repairs and supplies,	12 52
James H. Joyce, insurance,	24 00
John E. Sullivan, enumeration of scholars,	50 00
James H. Kennedy, stock and labor,	54 16
Joseph Gagne, dustbane,	16 50
Paul LaBonte, insurance,	48 00
Warren Cartier, janitor, Blackwater school,	32 00

Auguste Bouchard, trucking and cash paid for freight,	\$27 05
Benjamin F. Hanson, transportation,	12 40
Winfred S. Ross, work on diplomas,	12 50
John McGurty, labor and team, Union street grounds,	13 93
James McKeon, labor, Union street grounds,	12 23
Moses Doran, labor, Union street grounds,	15 73
Ludger Bolduc, labor and team, Union street grounds,	14 00
William McKeon, labor, Union street grounds,	14 87
Wildreck Vezeau, labor, Union street grounds,	14 87
Patrick Riley, labor, Union street grounds,	11 38
Joseph Moisan, labor, Union street grounds,	13 13
Warren Cartier, wood,	10 50
Orian L. Joy, stock and labor,	50 87
A. Lester Faunce, stamped envelopes,	21 24
Nellie E. Kearns, services, typewriting,	20 00
Herbert H. Harvey, stock and labor,	36 00
John B. Morin, supplies,	16 25
George F. Wells, cash paid out for baccalaureate address,	25 00
Mary F. Kelley, care of stock room,	25 00
Sarah McCarthy, ribbon, and work on diplomas,	13 40
Wildreck Vezeau, labor,	14 00
Oliver Ditson Co., music,	5 76
Mrs. L. P. Cote, supplies,	3 50
Walter S. Otis, repairs,	8 50
Paul Breton, labor and team,	1 38
James L. Stone, repairs,	2 70
Edward H. Farley, services, painting,	4 00
Johnson, Blagden & Co., books,	8 64
Charles C. Bunker, services, painting,	3 00
Harry A. Day, repairs,	3 50
Norbert de l'Etoile, stock and labor,	7 59
Rand, McNally & Co., books,	1 22

Myron Goodwin, repairs,	\$7 04
Eagle Pencil Co., supplies,	9 15
Simon Newcome, stock and labor,	3 00
Victor Nadeau, supplies,	9 00
A. B. Gosselin & Co., supplies,	1 95
Mrs. Charles Roy, loam,	3 25
Joseph Plante, supplies,	6 28
Peter M. Gagne, supplies,	1 05
Charles C. Bunker, stock and labor,	5 54
John McGurty, trucking,	1 00
Leonard O. Day, tuning pianos,	8 00
David L. Adams, labor,	1 50
Napoleon Prue, moving pianos,	8 00
A. Etta Estes, services,	6 00
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team, Union street grounds,	6 75
Joseph Vachon, labor and team, Union street grounds,	9 49
Louis Ruel, labor and team, Union street grounds,	4 00
Frank Roberge, labor, Union street grounds,	7 20
Ernest Perron, labor, Union street grounds,	2 00
Fred Morin, labor, Union street grounds,	1 40
Joseph Perron, labor, Union street grounds,	4 00
George Lebel, labor, Union street grounds,	1 75
John Roberge, labor, Union street grounds,	9 63
Fred Trembley, labor, Union street grounds,	7 88
Edmund Poulin, labor, Union street grounds,	1 75
Peter M. Gagne, use of piano,	3 00
Napoleon Prue, trucking,	1 00
Joseph Vachon, trucking,	1 50
William McKeon, labor,	3 50
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	4 00
Rochester Foundry and Machine Works, one grate,	3 50
Charles J. McGuinness, repairs,	3 00

Edgar J. Martel, services,	\$6 00
American Express Co., expressage,	30
Clayton R. March, supplies,	90
Wimpfheimer & Co., supplies,	38
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	50
George Gagne, labor,	88
Blaisdell's Express, expressage,	50

Total expenditures,	\$23,358 60
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Appropriation,	\$21,000 00
Literary fund,	420 42
Tuition,	25 00
Chandler fund income,	35 30
Dog licenses,	382 05
Transferred from Water Works account,	631 45
Transferred from police costs and fines account,	556 57
Transferred from repairs on public buildings account,	307 81
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#### Macadam.

Essex Trap Rock and Construction Co., crushed stone,	\$1,385 48
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on crushed stone,	1,156 38
Buffalo Steam Roller Co., steam road roller,	1,000 00
John W. Hartnett, superintendent,	200 00
Louis Casten, services, running steam road roller,	151 28
Alexcie LaBonte, labor and team,	192 20
Everett Gage, labor and team,	108 33
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	154 98
Owen Grady, labor,	75 55
James Riley, labor,	91 76

Michael Ball, labor,	\$80 18
Oliver Lefebvre, labor,	48 61
Arthur Labrecque, labor,	82 36
Thomas McGrail, labor,	58 50
Antonio Gregoire, labor,	36 95
Louis Gregoire, labor,	58 52
David Bolduc, labor,	69 81
Arthur Pageau, labor,	18 66
John W. Coyle, labor,	54 63
Joseph U. Gagnon, labor and team,	49 43
Patrick Flanagan, labor,	30 92
Henry Fournier, labor,	21 00
Frank Roberge, labor,	28 75
George Levesque, labor,	1 75
John McGurty, labor,	3 75
John Conway, labor,	5 44
Henry Routhier, labor,	2 53
Fred W. Spence, use of jigger,	3 50
Thomas Stanton, labor,	7 58
Philippe Gagnon, labor,	2 92
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	5 30
Somersworth Grocery Co., supplies,	4 85
Paul Breton, fuel for steam road roller,	62 28
Arthur Guilmette, labor,	44 54
Maurice Shea, labor,	33 05
Arthur Madden, labor,	18 75
Alec Dugan, labor,	17 30
I. W. Jones, services,	50 51
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	28 85
Dover, Somersworth and Rochester Street rail way, sand,	68 50
Fred Trembley, labor,	18 00
Ruben Nadeau, labor,	3 50
Joseph Leclerc, labor,	8 56
Albert Pouliot, labor,	7 97
Fred Fall, labor,	2 72



Pierre Breton, labor,	\$1 75
Henry Langevin, labor,	1 75
H. R. Schulmaier, painting two signs,	4 50
John Grady, labor,	2 72
Fred Parre, labor,	7 00
Leon Theberge, labor,	1 75
Joseph Moisan, labor,	9 00
Myron Goodwin, lumber,	1 74
Arthur Gregoire, labor,	1 75
Napoleon Tanguay, labor,	1 56
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	1 50
Geo. J. Foster & Co., printing and supplies,	1 25
John Fortier, labor,	4 47
George Prescott, labor,	78
Frank Cote, labor,	58

Total expenditures,	\$5,598 53
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Appropriation,	\$4,000 00
Transferred from state highway ac- count,	1,598 53
Total,	\$5,598 53

### State Highway.

Essex Trap Rock and Construction Co., crushed stone,	\$481 01
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on crushed stone,	399 45
Killorin Contracting Co., use of road roller and watering cart,	120 00
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on steam road roller,	40 60
John W. Hartnett, superintendent,	90 00
Louis Casten, services, running road roller,	56 50
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	20 50
Owen Grady, labor,	32 28

James Riley, labor,	\$29 00
Michael Ball, labor,	25 76
John W. Coyle, labor,	22 56
Michael Bean, labor,	23 53
Samuel Gage, labor,	28 90
Edward Taylor, labor,	17 50
Thomas Mullen, labor,	17 33
Clarence Walker, labor,	16 56
Peter Gilbert, labor,	17 33
Joseph Parre, labor,	17 33
Peter Marquis, labor,	12 86
Oliver Lefebvre, labor,	10 89
Allen Haley, labor and team,	64 44
Alexcie LaBonte, labor and team,	55 00
Everett Gage, labor and team,	69 42
Jesse R. Horne, labor and team,	31 10
Louis Ruel, labor and team,	45 54
Joseph U. Gagnon, labor and team,	40 55
Theodore Madore, labor and team,	25 00
Pierre Levasseur, labor and team,	13 33
George F. Hodgdon, labor and team,	32 22
Wilfred Fortier, labor,	32 22
Harold Hanscom, labor,	23 33
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	45 33
John Grady, labor,	10 00
Paul Breton, fuel for steam road roller,	21 66
Arthur Gregoire, labor,	5 25
Harry Stanley, labor,	3 50
Thomas Marshall, labor,	1 00
Francis LaBonte, labor,	1 00
Albert Gaudette, labor,	4 87
John L. Foss, labor and team,	5 00
Anthony Gregoire, labor,	8 17
Joseph Gosselin, labor,	1 75
Elzear Tanguay, labor,	1 75
Maurice Shea, labor,	3 50

Ruel & Co., fuel,	\$ 5 50
Hypolite Gauvin, repairs,	4 40
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$2,034 72
Transferred to macadam account,	1,598 53
Transferred to fire account,	282 35
Unexpended balance,	94 40
Total,	<hr/> \$4,010 00
Appropriation,	\$3,000 00
Receipts from state,	1,010 00
Total,	<hr/> \$4,010 00

#### Water Works.

Consolidation Coal Co., coal,	\$1,633 25
The Old Colony Trust Co., interest on bonds,	6,320 00
Albert A. Tapscott, services as engineer,	228 60
James A. Flanagan, services as engineer,	540 00
Charles Michel, services as fireman,	576 75
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	650 49
Schiffer Bros. Coal Mining Co., coal,	198 36
National Meter Co., supplies,	339 03
John Parsons, superintendent,	750 00
Charles F. Crockett, services as clerk of board,	100 00
Thomas Mullen, labor,	142 74
E. Russell Norton, coal,	175 24
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	722 25
Joseph Lariviere, labor,	20 75
John W. Coyle, labor,	22 55
Arthur Madden, labor,	46 50
James Madden, labor,	57 62
Adolphe Cote, labor,	17 75
Patrick Rowan, labor,	11 00
Fred Parre, labor,	12 50
Joseph Parre, labor,	13 50

Patrick Bohan, labor,	\$42 75
John Thibeault, labor,	41 37
Edward Tate, labor,	45 62
John Kearns, labor,	73 50
Albert Gaudette, labor,	11 75
The Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	39 98
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., services,	35 03
Paul Breton, wood,	40 13
Joseph Perron, labor,	19 42
Heath Grate Bar Co., twelve grate bars,	25 97
Auguste Bouchard, trucking,	82 32
John Parsons, cash paid out,	18 29
John Haines, supplies,	27 11
A. Lester Faunce, postage,	11 62
William A. Jepson & Co., coal,	39 31
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	63 00
Charles H. Harmon, supplies,	18 98
Geo. J. Foster & Co., advertising and publishing notices,	10 50
Henry Croft, labor,	18 10
Nellie E. Kearns, compiling and typewriting annual report and other typewriting,	10 00
Norwood Engineering Co., supplies,	20 10
Chapman Valve Manufacturing Co., supplies,	10 50
Joseph Poulin, labor,	10 00
Thomas Jacques, labor,	10 50
Joseph O. Paquette, labor,	22 50
Joseph Roy, labor,	13 25
Albert Pouliot, labor,	10 50
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	11 15
Joseph Fortier, fuel,	11 38
John Riley, labor,	16 25
Patrick Flanagan, labor,	10 88
American Steam Packing Co., supplies,	43 42
Jenkins Bros., supplies,	19 78

Builders Iron Foundry, supplies,	\$25 20
Great Falls Manufacturing Co., supplies,	12 81
R. D. Wood & Co., supplies,	25 00
Walworth Manufacturing Co., supplies,	57 88
James W. Murray, repairs,	16 05
Crawford, Tolles & Co., insurance,	30 00
Fortunat J. Gagnon, insurance,	75 00
Donat Hamel, labor,	18 75
John B. Lavoie, labor,	11 00
Samuel Welch, stock and labor,	27 58
Thorne, Neal & Co., coal,	49 97
Tenny, Morse & Co., supplies,	15 00
Hart Packing Co., supplies,	58 89
Myron Goodwin, lumber,	11 13
Rochester Foundry & Machine Works, supplies,	20 00
Mrs. Augustus Rollins, rent of store room,	24 00
Narcisse Landry, painting,	27 86
Quaker City Rubber Co., supplies,	11 73
Albert A. Tapscott, labor,	11 60
Fred Heon, labor,	2 00
James A. Linscott, labor,	8 25
James Curran, labor,	2 00
Charles Lemelin, labor,	2 00
Exavier Jean, labor,	2 00
John Davis, labor,	4 00
James Williams, labor,	2 00
Fred Elwell, labor,	8 25
Amede Cote, labor,	5 25
Willie Cote, labor,	2 00
Harry Morrissey, labor,	2 00
Fred Ricker, labor,	2 00
Eugene Carignan, labor,	2 00
Edward Pelletier, labor,	2 00
Joseph Tanguay, labor,	2 00
Treffle Leclerc, labor,	7 00
Napoleon Bergeron, labor,	2 00

Joseph Vachon, labor,	\$2 00
John Stanton, labor,	2 00
Fred Nadeau, labor,	2 00
Forest L. Bickford, labor,	2 00
Thomas Stanton, labor,	2 00
Leo Demers, labor,	2 00
Fred Horton, labor,	4 00
John Brennan, labor,	4 00
Romeo Nadeau, labor,	4 00
Samuel Chamberlain, labor,	4 00
Auguste Jean, labor,	2 00
Joseph Vigue, labor,	2 00
John Paradis, labor,	2 00
George Lessard, labor,	4 00
Patrick Riley, labor,	6 50
Michael G. Casey, labor,	4 00
William Lowd, labor,	4 00
George Gaudette, labor,	4 00
Joseph Gaudette, labor,	5 50
Louis Boucher, labor,	2 00
Archille Roberge, labor,	2 00
Joseph Leclerc, labor,	4 00
Edward Brennan, labor,	2 00
Albert Walker, labor,	2 00
Henry Routhier, labor,	2 00
William Chabot, labor,	2 00
Auguste Levesque, labor,	2 00
John J. Parsons, labor,	6 50
Charles Webster, labor,	4 00
Wilfrid Michel, labor,	1 00
Charles F. Crockett, labor and team,	8 50
Edgar J. Martel, supplies,	5 55
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	3 75
Joseph Vachon, trucking,	7 90
James A. Kearns, supplies,	9 15
American Express Co., expressage,	5 50

William H. Day, supplies,	\$1 00
Arthur Goulette, labor,	9 50
Ernest Heon, labor,	3 00
Peter Marquis, labor,	3 75
Joseph Lavoie, labor,	4 50
Florence McCarthy, labor,	2 00
James Hanaghan, labor,	4 00
Eugene Morin, labor,	2 00
Ferdinand Langevin, labor,	7 00
Ben Perreault, labor,	2 00
Peter Fournier, labor,	2 00
Fred Fournier, labor,	2 00
Arthur Leighton, labor,	2 00
Leon St. Pierre, labor,	2 00
Fred Gilbert, labor,	2 00
Edmond Leclerc, labor,	2 00
Pierce Mullen, labor,	2 00
Treffe Caouette, labor,	2 00
Henry Fournier, labor,	2 00
Alcide Fournier, labor,	2 00
Napoleon Couture, labor,	2 00
Patrick Hanaghan, labor,	2 00
Joseph Michaud, labor,	2 00
Alfred St. Pierre, labor,	2 00
Auguste Bishop, labor,	2 00
Alphonse Bishop, labor,	2 00
William Perron, labor,	2 00
John Grondin, labor,	2 00
Samuel Bernier, labor,	2 00
Arthur Nadeau, labor,	2 00
Daniel Mahoney, labor,	2 00
Fred Towle, labor,	2 00
John Kelleher, labor,	2 00
Theodule Bisson, labor,	4 00
William Dodier, labor,	4 00
Leon Bassett, labor,	2 00

Walter Grant, labor,	\$2 00
John L. Bean, labor,	2 00
Patrick E. Leary, labor,	4 00
Thomas Hanaghan, labor,	2 00
Albert Breton, labor,	2 00
Wilfrid Cliche, labor,	2 00
William Nadeau, labor,	2 00
John Sullivan, labor,	2 00
Jerry Leclerc, labor,	2 00
Joseph Vezeau, labor,	2 00
Calixte Lord, labor,	2 00
Fred Chasse, labor,	2 00
Edward Cote, labor,	2 00
Hugh McGuinness, labor,	1 00
Michael O'Malley, labor,	4 00
Albert Laliberte, labor,	2 00
Joseph E. Laliberte, labor,	1 50
John Lebreux, labor,	3 75
Fred Langevin, labor,	3 75
C. W. H. Moulton & Co., supplies,	3 84
James M. Bryant, repairs,	3 15
John McGurty, trucking,	2 00
Grip Coupling Co., supplies,	6 63
Edward Lemay, labor,	7 50
Frank Harvey, labor,	6 00
George Gagne, labor,	7 50
Boston Clothing House, supplies,	4 00
The Bristol Co., supplies,	2 85
Delphine Frechette, supplies,	5 10
William Vigue, labor,	1 50
Napoleon Pouliot, labor,	4 50
William Carpenter, labor,	5 25
Mark A. Kearns, brick,	2 40
Romain Couture, labor,	1 50
Willey and Emmons, supplies,	4 92
Peter Breton, labor,	2 00



James Leclerc, labor,	\$2 00
Patrick McCarthy, labor,	2 00
Jacob Mason, labor,	2 00
Francois Lassonde, labor,	2 00
Henry Lacourse, labor,	2 00
Joseph Beauchene, labor,	2 00
Anthony Berry, labor,	2 00
Samuel N. Wicks, labor,	2 00
Joseph Turcotte, labor,	2 00
Henry Gillespie, labor,	2 00
Oliver Lefebvre, labor,	2 00
Michael Stanton, labor,	2 00
Julian St. Laurent, labor,	2 00
Henry Langevin, labor,	2 00
Henry Bolduc, labor,	2 00
John Perreault, labor,	2 00
Arthur St. Pierre, labor,	2 00
Albert St. Pierre, labor,	2 00
Edward Flanagan, labor,	3 75
Antonio Goulette, labor,	2 00
Maurice Cliche, labor,	2 00
George Smith, labor,	2 00
Charles Robinson, labor,	2 00
Wilfred Trembley, labor,	2 00
Alphonse Perreault, labor,	2 00
Toussaint Perreault, labor,	2 00
Dennis Shanahan, labor,	2 00
Ben Vigue, labor,	2 00
Arthur Leary, labor,	2 00
Hollis Sevigny, labor,	2 00
Joseph Bisson, labor,	2 00
John Nadeau, labor,	1 00
Arthur Perreault, labor,	1 00
Elie Vachon, labor,	1 00
Jesse R. Horne, lumber,	4 68
Swett and Varney, supplies,	4 43

C. Everett Ricker, stock and labor,	\$1 90
James Morrison, labor,	5 00
Fred Trembley, labor,	7 50
Peter Perreault, labor,	6 00
Joseph Moisan, labor,	7 50
Edwin R. Batchelder, labor,	5 00
Edward H. Farley, labor,	5 00
Frederick W. Frost, board of William Wheeler,	1 50
Charles Michel, services,	6 30
James A. Flanagan, services,	7 92
Ernest A. Lothrop, supplies,	3 10
Nazaire Plante, repairs,	5 90
Swift Lubricating Co., supplies,	75
Charles Goding, labor,	50
Joseph Plante, supplies,	75
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Total expenditures,	\$14,531 76
Transferred to school account,	631 45
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	\$15,163 21
Receipts,	\$15,163 21

#### Pauper Account.

Francois X. Jean, board of three Brunette children,	\$234 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Mrs. Chas. Drouin,	224 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	224 00
Manchester Infant Asylum, board of Leclerc child,	112 00
Strafford County Farm, board of paupers,	228 00
James A. Kearns, groceries, Mrs. Paul Mandel,	167 12
Notre Dame de Lourdes Hospital, board of Blanche and Reine Dubreuil,	144 00
Riley & Murnane, groceries, Mrs. Patrick Mone,	145 35

Riley & Murnane, groceries, John Stanton,	\$22 00
John Bergeron, rent, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	78 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Mrs. Geo. Dodier,	24 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, John Tracy,	35 72
George J. Lauzon, milk, Mrs. Mary Berry,	24 07
George J. Lauzon, milk, Mrs. Fred Blood,	12 25
Morris Goold, rent, Mrs. Paul Mandel,	90 00
Norbert de l'Etoile, rent, Mrs. Charles Drouin, Sr.,	52 00
Ruel & Co., fuel, Leon Turcotte,	10 75
Paul Breton, fuel, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	34 50
Paul Breton, fuel, Mrs. Patrick Mone,	25 25
Paul Breton, fuel, Francois Lebreux,	11 08
Paul Breton, fuel, Mrs. Paul Mandel,	47 75
Paul Breton, fuel, Charles Pike,	21 75
St. Peter's Orphanage, board of Napoleon Du- breuil,	52 00
Mrs. Joseph Moisan, care of Mrs. Aurelle La- pointe,	15 86
Mrs. Mary Stanton, rent, Mrs. Mary Berry,	78 00
Patrick D. O'Connell, rent, Eugene Bourque,	97 87
Joseph Gregoire, groceries, Mrs. Charles Drouin, Sr.,	66 30
James A. Kearns, groceries, Charles Pike,	58 38
James A. Kearns, groceries, Mrs. Fred Blood,	64 92
John B. Ouellette, rent, Mrs. Patrick Mone,	66 50
Elzear Vachon, milk, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	10 95
Joseph LaBonte, meat and groceries, Jean Gron- din,	60 00
Wentworth Hospital, board and care of Mrs. John Stanton,	16 50
Wentworth Hospital, board and care of Michael Berry,	45 00
Joseph Gregoire, groceries, Leon Laliberte,	20 00
Mrs. George Miles, board of Mrs. Annie Stanton,	11 25

Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	\$25 79
Faunce & Kinsman, burial of Fred Blood,	15 00
Alfred St. Laurent, groceries, Alphonse Blanchette,	13 00
Alfred St. Laurent, groceries, Arthur Laliberte,	56 00
Napoleon Leduc, M. D., medicine to paupers,	48 35
Delphine Frechette, shoes, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	10 15
Samuel Bernstein, milk, Mrs. Paul Mandel,	25 62
William Charette, burial of John Therrien,	10 00
New Hampshire State Hospital, board and care of Mrs. Martha Leighton,	85 07
James H. Joyce, rent, Mrs. Fred Blood,	38 50
Ruel & Co., fuel, Mrs. Hercule Bergeron,	3 75
Ruel & Co., fuel, Arthur Laliberte,	8 50
James A. Kearns, groceries, Mrs. James O'Kane,	6 63
Joseph Gregoire, groceries, Donat Lassonde,	3 00
Ruel & Co., fuel, Mrs. James O'Kane,	3 75
Elzear Vachon, milk, Mrs. James O'Kane,	4 68
Paul Breton, fuel, John Stanton,	5 50
Benjamin F. Hanson, mileage to Concord in regard to Frank Noyes case,	1 54
Paul Breton, fuel, Arthur Laliberte,	6 75
William Charette, rent, Arthur Laliberte,	8 00
Paul Breton, fuel, Arthur Lacasse,	3 75
Paul Breton, fuel, John Tracy,	5 50
Paul Breton, fuel, Mrs. Fred Blood,	5 50
Paul Breton, fuel, Leon Turcotte,	7 25
Joseph Plante, groceries, Arthur Lacasse,	6 04
Mrs. George Kershaw, care of Mrs. Martha Leighton and James Wiggin,	2 00
Alfred St. Laurent, groceries, Mrs. Martha Leighton and James Wiggin,	2 00
H. D. Freaman & Co., goods, Francois Lebreux,	1 00
John W. Morrill, board of Mary and Alice Stanton,	1 25

Cornelius Hourihane, digging grave of Fred Blood,	\$3 50
William H. H. Gillespie, services, cleaning Mrs. Martha Leighton's house,	2 00
Sarah Corson, services, cleaning Mrs. Martha Leighton's house,	4 00
Willie Demers, services, cleaning Mrs. Martha Leighton's house,	4 00
Mrs. Willie Demers, services, cleaning Mrs. Martha Leighton's house,	2 00
Joseph Vachon, moving Mrs. Fred Blood's goods,	3 00
Leslie C. Patten, conveying Mrs. Martha Leighton from Concord, N. H.,	9 22
Delphine Frechette, shoes, Mrs. James O'Kane,	2 70
Nellie E. Kearns, compiling and typewriting annual report for state board of charities and correction,	4 00
William Charette, burial of Arthur Fecteau,	8 00
James A. Kearns, groceries, Mrs. Mary Berry,	7 46
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Joseph Valle,	2 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Mrs. Dupres,	2 00
Isaac Labissonniere, rent, Eugene Bourque,	8 00
Delphine Frechette, rubbers, Leon Turcotte,	70
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$3,107 57
Appropriation,	\$1,200 00
Transferred from liquor license account, 1,907 57	<hr/> \$3,107 57

### Miscellaneous Account.

Richards & Co., coal and wood in the year 1904,	\$475 00
John B. Morin, supplies for board of health,	44 05
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., service, city clerk,	22 04
William Charette, burial of child of Syfroid Dube,	10 00
Paul LaBonte, recording and reporting vital statistics,	62 55
Joseph Vachon, burying nuisances,	10 50
A. Lester Faunce, postage, city clerk,	17 00
Edward Bernier, election dinners, wards 2, 4 and 5,	15 00
A. Lester Faunce, supplies, city clerk and tax collector,	21 24
Joseph Gregoire, distributing inventory blanks,	17 00
William H. Day, supplies, city clerk's office,	20 65
Romain Couture, stock and labor on sewer on Tremont street,	12 00
John C. Hurd, antitoxine, diphtheria cases,	14 00
Joseph Bourque, fumigating,	30 00
Fred H. Brown, cash paid out for incidentals from 1910 to 1911,	25 00
William Charette, burial of Contassion Roucarter,	10 00
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire, assessors,	13 50
George W. Nutter, supplies, board of health,	37 80
Great Falls Manufacturing Co., supplies,	50 00
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	20 67
Stewart, Warren & Co., city treasurer's book,	27 50
The C. B. Dolge Co., supplies, board of health,	48 00
Thomas J. Dougherty, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	12 25
Napoleon Leduc, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	35 00
Joseph Gregoire, supplies, and expenses of assessors to Concord,	19 12

Nellie E. Kearns, services, typewriting,	\$10 00
Wilfred F. Willette, printing and supplies, city clerk,	10 75
Fred H. Brown, cash paid out for incidentals,	12 53
American Express Co., expressage,	3 40
Lindsey E. Grant, M. D., examination of James Wiggin and Mrs. Martha Leighton,	5 00
Cyrille Doucette, expenses to Concord with James Wiggin and Mrs. Martha Leighton,	4 00
Joseph Gregoire, meat, diphtheria case,	2 87
Ralph Kimmens, return of election warrant,	1 00
Walter J. Gilbert, return of election warrant,	1 00
Ralph Kimmens, drawing jurors, ward 1,	2 50
Walter J. Gilbert, drawing jurors, ward 2,	2 50
Timothy J. Cullinan, drawing jurors, ward 3,	3 50
Philius Desmarais, drawing jurors, ward 4,	2 00
John McCarthy, drawing jurors, ward 4,	3 00
Joseph Bourque, drawing jurors, ward 5,	3 00
Lazard Carrier, rent of store for supervisors,	7 00
A. Lester Faunce, stamped envelopes, assessors,	5 46
A. R. Andrews, supplies, city clerk's office,	6 60
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	2 00
Edward Tate, janitor, supervisors' room,	2 00
Samuel N. Wicks, services, ward 5 ward room,	2 00
Napoleon Prue, trucking for supervisors,	1 00
Auguste Bouchard, trucking city treasurer's books,	5 25
Somersworth Post Office, P. O. box rent,	3 00
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	3 38
A. B. Gosselin & Co., repairing chair, city clerk's office,	2 00
Joseph U. Gagnon, wood, ward 4 ward room,	1 00
Michael G. Casey, burying nuisances,	2 00
William Charette, burying nuisances,	1 00
Auguste Bouchard, burying nuisances,	2 75
George Gagne, burying nuisances,	2 00

Alexandre Goulette, burying nuisances,	\$2 00
George J. Lauzon, burying nuisances,	1 50
Alfred Valle, burying nuisances,	1 00
Charles P. Andrews, burying nuisances,	1 50
Adelard Morin, burying nuisances,	1 50
Alfred St. Laurent, groceries, Mrs. A. Houle, diphtheria case,	3 40
Willie F. Potvin, groceries, Mrs. A. Houle, diphtheria case,	1 30
City Market, meat, Mrs. A. Houle, diphtheria case,	2 00
Harry A. Day, repairs, city clock,	2 35
Charles H. Harmon, supplies, city clerk's office,	5 30
Edward N. Pearson, fees for engrossing acts,	3 75
Edson C. Eastman, tax collector's book,	2 75
Paul Tardif, election dinners, ward 3,	7 25
Edson C. Eastman, record book for vital statis- tics,	7 50
Mrs. James E. Coyle, election dinners, ward 2,	5 00
Geo. J. Foster & Co., advertising,	7 20
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire, board of health,	1 75
The Free Press Publishing Co., publishing peti- tions,	8 50
Alvah Bushnell Co., supplies, city clerk's office,	3 10
Town of Berwick, 1911 taxes,	4 50
Walter J. Gilbert, repairs, city clock,	2 00
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	6 50
Napoleon Leduc, M. D., supplies, used as milk inspector,	3 56
Joseph Gregoire, meat, Joseph Sirois, diphtheria case,	2 17
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing assess- ors' notices,	7 25
Somersworth Grocery Co., groceries, Joseph Sirois, diphtheria case,	2 47



The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies, tax collector,	\$2 50
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies, city solicitor,	3 75
Thomas J. Morrison, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	7 50
Lindsey E. Grant, reporting births and deaths,	4 75
William T. Elliott, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	2 50
Dana B. Mayo, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	1 00
Mrs. Philomene Amyotte, reporting births,	1 50
Rev. Onesime J. Desrosiers, reporting marriages,	5 50
Paul Breton, fuel, John W. Coyle, diphtheria case,	2 10
Riley & Murnane, groceries, John W. Coyle, diphtheria case,	6 69
H. A. Day, supplies, city clerk's office,	1 50
Henry Girard, burying nuisances,	50
Phedime Langelier, burying nuisance,	50
Alphonse Blanchette, burying nuisance,	50
Leon Turcotte, burying nuisance,	50
Adelard Fournier, burying nuisance,	50
Hugh McGuinness, burying nuisance,	50
Joseph Laliberte, burying nuisance,	50
Charles R. Morrill, burying nuisance,	50
Joseph Doucette, burying nuisance,	50
George Heon, burying nuisance,	50
Onesime Couture, burying nuisance,	50
Edward Bernier, burying nuisance,	50
James A. Linscott, burying nuisance,	50
Peter King, burying nuisance,	50
Paul Breton, burying nuisance,	50
Arthur Roberge, burying nuisance,	50
Swett & Varney, supplies, city clerk's office,	40
Rev. Elzear Durette, reporting marriages,	50

Rev. James H. Brennan, reporting marriages,	\$ 50
Charles N. Stevens, M. D., reporting births and deaths,	50
Rev. Burton H. Tilton, reporting marriages,	50
Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, reporting marriages,	75
Rev. Thomas F. Williams, reporting marriages,	50
Rev. Asa M. Parker, reporting marriages,	50
Fred H. Brown, reporting marriage,	25
Hermenegile Nadeau, burying nuisance,	50
Fred Guilmette, burying nuisance,	50
John Sullivan, burying nuisance,	50
Evangeliste LaBonte, burying nuisance,	50
Total expenditures,	<hr/> \$1,336 15
Transferred to highway account,	450 63
Total,	<hr/> \$1,786 78
Appropriation,	\$1,786 78

**Repairs on Public Buildings Account.**

Herbert H. Harvey, labor and material,	\$68 05
Albert A. Tapscott, stock and labor,	35 90
A. Carter & Son, supplies,	42 97
George Gagne, labor, opera house,	17 25
David L. Adams, labor, painting,	6 00
James W. Murray, stock and labor,	4 34
Charles C. Bunker, stock and labor,	2 01
Orian L. Joy, labor,	4 36
John J. Murphy, repairs,	5 33
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Total expenditures,	\$186 21
Transferred to school account,	307 81
Unexpended balance,	5 98
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Total,	\$500 00
Appropriation,	\$500 00

**Damages Account.**

Somersworth Grain Co., damage, caused by water from street,	\$110 00
John McGurty, damage to cellar,	35 00
Pierce Mullin, damage caused by water to prop- erty, and also damage to fence,	25 00
John Langley, damage to fence, caused by snow plow,	5 00
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Total expenditures,	\$175 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	\$175 00

**Band Concerts Account.**

Somersworth City band, series of band concerts,	\$250 00
Transferred from liquor license account,	\$250 00

# LIST OF LIQUOR LICENSES ISSUED IN THE CITY OF SOMERSWORTH.

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Name	Street and Number	Class
Edward E. Donahue,	114 Green street,	2
Charles M. Farley,	10 Spring street,	2
Arthur Fradette,	17 Elm street,	2
Louis Gagne,	11 Spring street,	2
Napoleon H. Gilbert,	261 Main street,	2
Napoleon H. Gilbert,	23 Myrtle street,	3
James Gillespie,	229 Main street,	2
Honore Girard,	19 Washington street,	2
John Gosselin,	173 Main street,	2
Frank E. Hobbs,	33 Main street,	2
Frank E. Hobbs,	33 Main street,	3
W. Ashton Horn,	3 Horn's court,	3
John C. Hurd,	26 Market street,	5
Rodolphe Lasonde,	11 Fore street,	2
Michael J. Leary,	49 Elm street,	2
Peter L. Moran,	117 Green street,	2
Peter L. Moran,	49 Green street,	2
Francois Morin,	253 Main street,	2
Pierre Morin,	60-64 Washington street,	2
James T. Noonan,	39 Main street,	2
George W. Nutter,	86 High street,	5
James R. O'Clair,	10 Depot street,	2
George Routhier,	8 Fore street,	2
Alfred St. Hilaire,	1 Spring street,	2
Alfred St. Hilaire,	1-a Spring street,	3
Polycarpe Tardif,	Hotel Somersworth,	1
William H. Wiggin,	24 Market street,	2
William H. Wiggin,	24 Market street,	3
Eli C. Wentworth,	Great Falls hotel,	1
Louis Belliveau,	5 Fore Street,	2

# APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1911.

*Resolved by the City Council:*

That the following appropriations be made for the current year :

Memorial day,	\$ 200 00
Cemetery,	600 00
Street lights,	6,365 00
Interest on general debt bonds,	3,760 00
Four general debt bonds,	4,000 00
Three water works bonds,	3,000 00
Soldiers' aid,	50 00
Salaries,	4,800 00
Fire department,	3,700 00
Municipal water supply,	3,115 00
Police,	4,400 00
Sidewalks,	2,500 00
Special highway,	3,000 00
Highways, summer and winter,	4,000 00
Schools,	21,000 00
County tax,	9,503 52
State tax,	11,032 00
Library,	600 00
Library, special,	437 70
Printing,	500 00
Interest on notes,	2,000 00
Pauper,	1,200 00
Garbage,	750 00
Street sprinkling,	100 00
Repairs on public buildings,	500 00
Miscellaneous,	1,786 78
Macadam,	4,000 00
Total,	<hr/> \$96,900 00

## LOCATION OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

### Boxes

- 12 City hall.
- 14 Main and Spring streets.
- 15 Indigo Hill and Main street.
- 16 New Dam Mill section.
- 23 Myrtle and Green streets.
- 24 Franklin and Green streets.
- 25 Tremont and Green streets.
- 32 Washington and High streets.
- 35 South and High streets.
- 41 Highland and Grand streets.
- 43 Lincoln and Maple streets.
- 52 Fore and Elm streets.
- 54 Market and Prospect streets.

- 2-2-2 Brush fire.
- 2 Chimney fire.
- 3 Engineer's call.
- 1 All out.

### SIGNALS.

One stroke of the bell is the all-out signal.

2-2-2 strokes of the bell is for a brush fire, or a fire seen at a distance, where the department is needed.

One stroke of the bell is the engineer's test.

The above signals are given only by the chief engineer.

### GENERAL RULES.

Firemen, as well as citizens, should familiarize themselves with the following rules for giving alarms of fire:

1. Never pull a box for a fire seen at a distance.
2. Never pull a box while the alarm bells are ringing, not until a box has completed its four rounds. Two boxes cannot operate together, and neither will work if two are pulled at the same time. Never pull two alarms or two boxes for the same fire.

3. To ring in an alarm, break the glass in the key-box and open the outside door with the key. Pull down the brass crank seen inside, till it stops, then let go. Then let the box alone. The clock will be seen or heard to be running, and the alarm will follow in half a minute or so. Close the door, but do not try to remove the key, as it is locked in a track lock and can only be removed by a release key, which is carried by each engineer, who will, as soon as convenient, release and return it. Remember that the firemen will come directly to the box which has been pulled, and be sure that some one stays at the box to direct them to the fire.
4. Never pull an alarm for a fire seen at a distance. Never touch a box except to give an alarm of fire. Give an alarm for no cause other than actual fire. Don't give an alarm for a chimney fire.





# REPORT

OF THE

## SCHOOL BOARD OF SOMERSWORTH

INCLUDING

A DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THE EXPENDITURES DURING  
THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1912.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

1911.

THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY, Chairman.

JOHN E. SULLIVAN, Secretary.

## MEMBERS.

Ward 1—George F. Wells, term expires March, 1912.

Ward 2—John E. Sullivan, term expires March, 1913.

Ward 3—Joseph G. Deshaies, term expires March, 1913.

Ward 4—Patrick C. Murnane, term expires March, 1913.

Ward 5—Peter M. Gagne, term expires March, 1914.

Appointed by City Council—Thomas J. Dougherty, M. D., and Fred H. Brown; terms expire March, 1914. Clement P. Roy and Michael P. Flanagan; terms expire March, 1912.

Meetings—Third Wednesday in each month. Annual meeting, first Tuesday in April.

## SUB-COMMITTEES.

Finance and claims—Dougherty, Murnane and Gagne.

Qualification of teachers—Dougherty, Wells and Brown.

Text-books and apparatus—Dougherty, Flanagan and Brown.

Music and drawing—Sullivan, Roy and Gagne.

Health—Wells, Flanagan and Gagne.

High school—Dougherty, Wells and Brown.

Grammar schools—Dougherty, Sullivan and Murnane.

Primary schools—Flanagan, Gagne and Roy.

Ungraded schools—Roy, Deshaies and Flanagan.

Evening schools—Deshaies, Sullivan and Roy.

Truancy—Gagne, Deshaies and Murnane.

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Superintendent of Public Instruction.

FRANK S. SUTCLIFFE.

## REPORT OF CHAIRMAN OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To His Honor, the Mayor, and the Members of the City Council:*

Gentlemen : I herewith submit my report for the year ending February 28, 1912.

The only improvement of consequence during the year was the grading of the grounds on the Union street side of the Union street school ; about \$250 was expended, and the result is very satisfactory.

The committee, not having a suitable place to hold their meetings, fitted up an unused room in the Chandler building ; the walls were painted, and new furnishings purchased, the whole outlay not exceeding \$200. The room now presents a very attractive appearance.

For a complete account of school affairs, I would refer you to the superintendent's report.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. DOUGHERTY,  
Chairman School Board.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

*To the Honorable School Committee of Somersworth:*

Gentlemen: During the year that has passed since my former school report, the work has progressed along the lines there suggested, namely, of thorough instruction in the assigned work, the maximum of attention to the needs of the individual, and departmental instruction in the High school.

The introduction in the grades of a practical, business system of writing, the adoption of the Gulick Hygiene Series, which treats not only of personal hygiene but also of community hygiene, a complete language series compiled from lessons tested in the class-room by some of the ablest teachers of English in New England, have increased the interest and unified the work.

While our advances have been made without any spectacular effect, the advance has still been made. The growth has been steady and sure, a growth of the best kind, for it produces a constant and dependable result.

All over the world the demand for industrial, or vocational, training is increasing. Teachers and laymen in urban and rural communities are demanding that the schools shall do something to prepare the masses of boys and girls for effective service in some industrial occupation, fit them to make a living and to contribute their part to the commonwealth.

How this shall be done and in what kind of schools, no one seems to know certainly and fully. Experiments of many kinds are being tried in many places. Much money is being spent for it, and much more will be spent, more or less wisely.

While our great cities are plunging into novel experiments with vocational schools, and ridicule is being poured upon the older schools, our educational thinkers are looking

on with regret, knowing that a separation between cultural and vocational schools means a stratification of society, such as some foreign countries approve, but America has never been able to tolerate. The student needs chiefly intellectual apprenticeship, contact with a larger personality, a broader sympathy, a keener insight, a sturdier character than his own. He needs to acquire right habits, right methods, and right appreciations. The world is held back from progress as much by men who have stopped growing, as by bad men. To secure teachers who are natural leaders, and supply them with material for constant growth, is to shape the civilization of the future.

The only safe guide in the determination of your policy for the educational institutions under your charge is the principle of service to your community. That does not mean that every study must serve an immediately practical end. The community needs men of breadth, of wide information, of mastery of the treasures of the past. It is a virtue to refuse to yield to the clamor of short cuts to professions which require leaders of personal power as well as technical skill. The true method is the blending of the practical and theoretical, the leading up into the practical in every department of study. In providing this service, we must be equally careful that we do not overburden the community. Much as we would like to think that certain steps were to be undertaken for the broadening of our work, we must not lose sight of the fact that the number of pupils in our schools makes the ratio of cost per pupil as high as it ought to be. What extensions may be made within the present cost may well be undertaken. With this in mind, one step without additional cost may be taken in the development of our system, namely, the introduction of sewing for the pupils in grades second to fifth inclusive, and for the girls in grades sixth to ninth inclusive. We could well employ one of our present teachers to undertake this work.

The question of health is important. The ability of the pupil to accomplish his work economically, for himself and the community, depends upon his physical state, therefore, I recommend, also, medical inspection of the schools, under the control of the board of health, for expert examination of pupils for correction, if possible, of any defects of vision and hearing, and the discovery and isolation of any contagious disease in its early stages.

If it appears wise to the board of education to undertake these two inexpensive departures, I believe it will add much to the motor, physical, and moral development of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK S. SUTCLIFFE.

TRUANCY REPORT FOR THE YEAR BEGIN-  
NING MARCH 1, 1911, AND ENDING  
MARCH 1, 1912.

1	Number of complaints from teachers,	104
2	Number of complaints from superintendent,	5
3	Number of complaints from members of the school committee,	7
4	Number of complaints from French parochial school,	28
5	Number of complaints from other sources,	1
6	Whole number of complaints received,	144
7	Number of cases investigated,	107
8	Number of children found absent without good reason,	18
9	Number found to be truant,	3
10	Number found at work illegally,	1
11	Number of children not enrolled, placed in school,	1
12	Number of visits to schools,	316
13	Number of visits to families,	101
14	Number of visits to manufacturing establish- ments,	4
15	Number of arrests,	0
16	Number of children prosecuted,	0
17	Number of parents prosecuted,	0
18	Number of employers prosecuted,	0



## REPORT OF SECRETARY OF SCHOOL BOARD.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To the Chairman and Members of the School Board:*

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the year ending February 29, 1912.

Secretary of the School Board duties change little from one year to another.

The rules of the board say that the board shall meet regularly the third Wednesday of each month. Secretary, in writing, gives notice of regular and special meeting to each member of the board.

True and full records of all proceedings of board and finance and claims committee meetings are kept by the secretary; the same are in his charge, and, upon request, are open for inspection to any citizen.

School enumeration, specified by law, shall be taken annually in the month of September.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. SULLIVAN,  
Secretary

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND CLAIMS.

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., March 1, 1912.

*To the School Board:*

Gentlemen: Your committee on finance and claims herewith submit their report for the year ending February 29, 1912.

The following amounts have been placed to the credit of the public schools during the past year:

Annual appropriation,	\$21,000 00
Literary fund,	420 42
Dog licenses,	382 05
Chandler fund income,	35 30
Tuition,	24 00
Sales,	1 00
Transferred from water works account,	631 45
Transferred from police costs and fines account,	556 57
Transferred from repairs on public buildings account,	307 81
Total,	<hr/> \$23,358 60

The expenditures during the year have been as follows:

Repairs,	\$ 635 73
Supplies,	1,011 72
Miscellaneous,	924 60
Books,	632 92
Teachers,	14,019 50
Janitors,	1,760 50
Fuel,	1,568 89
Truant officer,	150 00
Transportation,	684 40
Water,	138 34
Insurance,	132 00
Superintendent,	1,700 00
Total,	<hr/> \$23,358 60

# ITEMIZED ACCOUNT OF BILLS FOR THE YEAR 1911-1912.

## REPAIRS.

Albert A. Tapscott, stock and labor,	\$102 92
Henry Jacques, concreting,	100 08
A. G. Bernier & Son, repairs,	36 00
James H. Kennedy, stock and labor,	54 16
Herbert H. Harvey, stock and labor,	36 00
Wildrick Vezeau, labor,	14 00
Patrick Riley, labor, Union street grounds,	11 38
Orian L. Joy, repairs, Union street grounds,	48 12
Wildrick Vezeau, labor, Union street grounds,	14 87
Joseph Moisan, labor, Union street grounds,	13 13
William McKeon, labor, Union street grounds,	14 87
John McGurty, labor and team, Union street grounds,	13 93
Ludger Bolduc, labor and team, Union street grounds,	14 00
Louis Ruel, labor and team, Union street grounds,	4 00
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team, Union street grounds,	6 75
Joseph Vachon, labor and team, Union street grounds,	9 49
Paul Breton, labor and team, Union street grounds,	1 38
James McKeon, labor, Union street grounds,	6 73
Moses Doran, labor, Union street grounds,	6 73
Ernest Perron, labor, Union street grounds,	2 00
George Lebel, labor, Union street grounds,	1 75
Joseph Perron, labor, Union street grounds,	4 00
John Roberge, labor, Union street grounds,	9 63
Rochester Foundry and Machine Works, one grate, Union street grounds,	3 50

Frank Roberge, labor, Union street grounds,	\$7 20
Fred Trembley, labor, Union street grounds,	7 88
Fred Morin, labor, Union street grounds,	1 40
Edmund Poulin, labor, Union street grounds,	1 75
Myron Goodwin, repairs,	7 04
Joseph Plante, supplies for repairs,	6 28
Robert de l'Etoile, stock and labor,	7 59
Charles J. McGuinness, repairs,	3 00
Orian L. Joy, stock and labor,	2 75
James W. Murray, repairs,	2 55
James McKeon, labor,	5 50
Edgar J. Martel, repairs,	6 00
Moses Doran, labor,	3 50
Simon Newcome, stock and labor,	3 00
Harry A. Day, repairs,	3 50
Charles C. Bunker, stock and labor,	5 54
David L. Adams, labor,	1 50
William McKeon, labor,	3 50
Mrs. Charles Roy, loam, for repairs,	3 25
Walter S. Otis, repairs,	8 50
Napoleon H. Gilbert, labor and team,	4 00
Edward H. Farley, services, painting,	4 00
James L. Stone, repairs,	2 70
Charles C. Bunker, services, painting,	3 00
George Gagne, labor,	88
Ephrem Boucher, repairs,	50

Total,	\$635 73
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## SUPPLIES.

Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	\$314 30
Frank A. Harvey, supplies,	106 51
William H. Wiggin, piano,	225 00
Somersworth Grocery Co., supplies,	56 80
Charles H. Harmon, supplies,	44 61
Milton Bradley & Co., supplies,	53 66
Riley & Murnane, supplies,	27 89

The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	\$41 05
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	25 20
George F. Wells, stamped envelopes,	21 24
John B. Morin, supplies,	16 25
Joseph Gagne, dustbane,	16 50
C. C. Birchard & Co., music,	12 30
James W. Murray, supplies,	9 97
American Book Co., books,	8 75
Eagle Pencil Co., supplies,	9 15
Mrs. L. P. Cote, supplies,	3 50
Victor Nadeau, supplies,	9 00
Oliver Ditson Co., music,	5 76
A. B. Gosselin & Co., supplies,	1 95
Peter M. Gagne, supplies,	1 05
Clayton R. March, supplies,	90
Wimpfheimer & Co., supplies,	38
Total,	<hr/> \$1,011 72

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Derby Desk Co., furniture,	\$407 40
John E. Sullivan, services as secretary,	100 00
Great Falls Gas Light Co., gas,	37 65
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., service,	26 40
Auguste Bouchard, trucking,	27 05
The Free Press Publishing Co., printing and supplies,	26 75
John E. Sullivan, enumeration of scholars,	50 00
Bert Hanson, services, delivering baccalaureate address,	25 00
Louis Gregoire, care of High school lawn,	25 00
Nellie E. Kearns, services, typewriting,	20 00
Mary F. Kelley, care of stock room,	25 00
Alvin F. Pease, commission for securing teacher,	30 00
Nellie E. Kearns, compiling and typewriting annual report,	10 00

A. Lester Faunce, stamped envelopes,	21 24
Winfred S. Ross, work on diplomas,	12 50
Benjamin F. Hanson, team hire,	15 25
The Twin State Gas & Electric Co., lighting,	17 16
Sarah G. McCarthy, ribbon, and work on di- plomas,	13 40
Leonard O. Day, tuning pianos,	8 00
Napoleon Prue, trucking,	9 00
Moses Doran, labor,	5 50
A. Etta Estes, services,	6 00
Peter M. Gagne, use of piano,	3 00
John McGurty, trucking,	1 00
Joseph Vachon, trucking,	1 50
Blaisdell's Express, expressage,	50
American Express Co., expressage,	30
Total,	<hr/> \$924 60

## BOOKS.

D. C. Heath & Co., books,	\$157 23
American Book Co., books,	113 47
Ginn & Co., books,	76 73
Little, Brown Co., books,	65 44
Edward E. Babb & Co., books,	62 20
Silver, Burdette & Co., books,	51 71
Chas. E. Merrill & Co., books,	22 25
Allyn & Bacon, books,	20 65
Houghton & Mifflin Co., books,	16 00
D. Appleton & Co., books,	12 63
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., books,	12 25
Parker P. Simmons, books,	12 50
Johnson, Blagden & Co., books,	8 64
Rand, McNally & Co., one book,	1 22
Total,	<hr/> \$632 92

## TEACHERS.

Teachers' pay roll, No. 1,	\$1,393 50
“ “ 2,	1,393 50
“ “ 3,	1,398 50
“ “ 4,	1,392 50
“ “ 5,	1,395 50
“ “ 6,	1,410 00
“ “ 7,	1,410 00
“ “ 8,	1,406 00
“ “ 9,	1,410 00
“ “ 10,	1,410 00
Total,	<u>\$14,019 50</u>

## JANITORS' SALARIES.

Janitors' pay roll, No. 1,	\$160 00
“ “ 2,	160 00
“ “ 3,	160 00
“ “ 4,	160 00
“ “ 5,	160 00
“ “ 6,	185 00
“ “ 7,	185 00
“ “ 8,	185 00
“ “ 9,	185 00
“ “ 10,	185 00
Total,	<u>\$1,725 00</u>
Warren Cartier, janitor, Blackwater school,	35 50
Total,	<u>\$1,760 50</u>

## FUEL.

Paul Breton, coal and wood,	\$1,537 89
Ernest S. Foss, wood,	24 00
Warren Cartier, wood,	7 00
Total,	<u>\$1,568 89</u>

## TRUANT OFFICER.

Edgar Gagnon, services,	\$150 00
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## TRANSPORTATION.

Dover, Somersworth & Rochester Street Rail- way,	\$172 00
Joseph A. Casgrain,	500 00
Benjamin F. Hanson,	12 40
Total,	<hr/> \$684 40

## WATER.

Somersworth Water Works,	\$138 34
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## INSURANCE.

Fortunat J. Gagnon,	\$60 00
Paul LaBonte,	48 00
James H. Joyce,	24 00
Total,	<hr/> \$132 00

## SUPERINTENDENT.

Frank S. Sutcliffe,	\$1,700 00
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## CHANDLER FUND.

Books,	\$35 30
Total,	\$23,358 60



## SALARIES OF TEACHERS.

John B. Pugsley, principal,		\$1,400 00
John R. Uniack, High,		600 00
Edith A. Fogg, High,		600 00
Eunice W. Quimby, High,		600 00
Ruth MacGregor, High,		600 00
Benjamin S. Mooney, Grammar, 8th grade,		1,000 00
Alicia Lawlor,	" 7th "	500 00
Alice M. Hodsdon,	" 7th "	500 00
Annie M. Hodsdon,	" 6th "	500 00
Stella Downing,	" 6th "	500 00
Mary F. Kelley,	Primary, 5th grade,	500 00
Annie F. Sullivan,	" 5th "	500 00
Lillian M. Weeden,	" 4th "	450 00
Fannie A. Cate,	" 4th "	450 00
Lizzie M. Drew,	" 3rd "	450 00
Louise C. Parsons,	" 2nd "	450 00
E. Maude Andrews,	" 2nd "	450 00
Abbie G. Keating,	" 2nd "	450 00
Bessie L. Freeman,	" 1st "	450 00
Julia G. McCarthy,	" 1st "	450 00
S. Agnes Locke,	" 1st "	450 00
Mary A. Minehan,	" 1st "	450 00
Teresa F. Mack,	" 1st "	450 00
Bessie Mullen, Ungraded, Blackwater,		425 00
Alma B. Roy, drawing,		450 00
Minnie L. Eaton, music,		475 00

## GRADUATING EXERCISES, CLASS 1911, S. H. S.

Graduating Exercises of the Class of 1911, Somersworth High School, at Somersworth Theatre, Thursday evening, June 22.

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Program.

PRAYER,

Rev. B. H. Tilton

MUSIC, Semi-Chorus, "Rest,"

*Rubenstein*

SALUTATORY, WITH ESSAY, "Jane Addams"

Marion Corinne Hobbs

ESSAY, "There shall be no Alps"

Gladys Louise Tilton

DEBATE, Resolved: That the U. S. Senators  
Should be Elected by  
the Direct Vote of the  
People.

Affirmative— { Rose R. Gould  
Mary Anna Conley

Negative— { Joseph Ovide Bolduc  
Napoleon Alfred Berube

MUSIC { "Hark! the Lily Bells"  
"Evening Wind"

*Spence*  
*Saint Saens*

Girls' Chorus

CLASS ORATION,

Joseph Daly Sullivan

HISTORY,

Mary Frances Murphy

PROPHECY,

Mary Louise Cole

MUSIC, Semi-Chorus, "Out on the Deep"

*Lohn*

CLASS WILL,

Anna Frances Kavanaugh

ADDRESS TO UNDERGRADUATES,

Bernard Gilbert Priestley

VALEDICTORY,

Margaret Martha Dame

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS,

Superintendent Frank S. Sutcliffe

CLASS ODE,

Dorothy Louise Hill

BENEDICTION.

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### Class Ode.

As we leave you tonight, dear old High school on the hill,  
Unbidden, our eyes fill with tears.

We recall all the joy and the pleasure we've had,  
During four of the happiest years.

As we think of our teachers so faithful and kind,  
Of the friends that have proved fond and true,

Of the many glad hours we together have spent,  
We now pledge our allegiance to you.

Oh, how oft we have climbed Prospect Hill to thy halls,  
Free of care, with no thought but of joy!

Gaily laughing together, old classmates and friends,  
We had scarcely a tear to annoy.

The sad time has now come when those schooldays must end,  
And the future no one can foretell,

But we pledge thee devotion, remembrance, and love,  
On this night, when we bid thee farewell.

DOROTHY LOUISE HILL.

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### Graduates.

Napoleon Alfred Berube

Dorothy Louise Hill

Joseph Ovide Bolduc

Marion Corinne Hobbs

Mary Louise Cole

Anna Frances Kavanaugh

Mary Anna Conley

Mary Frances Murphy

Margaret Martha Dame

Bernard Gilbert Priestley

Rose R. Gould

Joseph Daly Sullivan

Gladys Louise Tilton



REPORT  
OF  
WATER COMMISSIONERS  
FROM  
MARCH 1, 1911, TO MARCH 1, 1912.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS.

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ARTHUR J. SEAVEY, Chairman.

CHARLES F. CROCKETT, Clerk.

FORTUNAT J. GAGNON.

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Arthur J. Seavey, elected March 26, 1907; term expires  
June 16, 1913.

Charles F. Crockett, elected March 28, 1908; term expires  
June 16, 1914.

Fortunat J. Gagnon, elected March 16, 1909; term expires  
June 16, 1912.

## REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

Gentlemen: In accordance with the city ordinance, your board of water commissioners herewith submit the following annual report for the year ending February 29, 1912.

Following the usual custom, the commissioners met at their office in the city building, June 16, 1911, and organized by electing Arthur J. Seavey, Chairman, and Charles F. Crockett, clerk. John Parsons was elected superintendent of the water works; James A. Flanagan, engineer; and Charles Michel, assistant engineer at the pumping station.

## PUMPING STATION.

The pumping station carries its usual amount of insurance. At the beginning of the year it was found that the station and the machinery needed many repairs, which have been made at considerable expense. On the twentieth of January, the large pump broke one of its piston rods, and in using the small high-pressure pump to supply the city with water until the large one could be repaired, the vibration from it caused a leak in the main pipe, at the corner of Wells and Rochester streets, causing the city to be without water for twenty-four hours, and as the small pump is not large enough to do the work of the large one without causing trouble, we would recommend that it be replaced for a larger one capable of doing the work.

## FILTER BED.

The filter bed has had its usual cleaning, and when the sand that has been removed is washed and replaced on the bed, it will be in good condition.

## SERVICE PIPES.

Eleven new services have been laid during the year, making a total of 953.

## METERS.

There have been added fifteen new meters during the year, making a total of 297 now in use.

Receipts and Expenditures from March 1, 1911, to  
March 1, 1912.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand March 1, 1911,	\$ 663 21
Faucets,	5,509 91
Bath tubs,	61 33
Water closets,	1,164 03
Urinals,	7 50
Special rates,	3,660 80
Hose,	111 75
Horses,	75 00
Cows,	1 00
Heating apparatus,	5 00
Service pipes,	87 82
Meters,	4,924 93
Meter rents,	280 60
Total,	<hr/> \$16,552 88
Abatements,	982 34
Amount collected,	<hr/> \$15,570 54

Of this amount, \$539.50 is uncollected from the previous year.



**Bills Approved for Payment, with the Various Departments to which they belong.**

MAINTENANCE.

Office expenses,	\$ 118 07	
Salaries,	850 00	
Pumping station,	5,490 16	
Meter service,	97 53	
Distribution piping,	200 03	
Service piping,	482 73	
Interest,	6,320 00	
Hydrants,	134 92	
Miscellaneous,	78 55	
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Total maintenance,		\$13,771 99

CONSTRUCTION.

Meter service,	\$267 36	
Service piping,	468 01	
Extension improvement,	24 40	
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Total construction,		\$759 77
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Total expenditures,		\$14,531 76

Summary Account Showing Earnings, Receipts and  
Expenditures from March 1, 1911, to March 1, 1912.

Bills collected by superintendent,	\$15,570 54
Bills approved,	14,531 76
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Balance,	\$1,038 78

Owing to the many repairs that have been made, and the laying of about eleven hundred feet of new pipe, the cash balance this year is greatly reduced.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. SEAVEY,  
CHARLES F. CROCKETT,  
FORTUNAT J. GAGNON,  
Water Commissioners.

## WATER WORKS BONDS.

The following is a statement of the water works bonds, showing the date when they mature :

Three bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1912.

Four bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1913.

Four bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1914.

Four bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1915.

Four bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1916.

Four bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1917.

One hundred and thirty-two bonds of \$1,000 each, maturing October 1, 1918.

Total amount of bonds, \$155,000, with interest at four per cent.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT.

*To the Board of Water Commissioners:*

Gentlemen: The following report of the superintendent for the fiscal year ending February 29, 1912, is respectfully submitted.

## PUMPING STATION.

The pumps have worked continuously. The boilers have been duly inspected and favorable reports received from the Fidelity and Casualty Company.

A leak in the main, at the elbow, corner of Wells and Rochester streets, caused by the vibration of the small high-pressure pump, should be thoroughly looked into by competent engineers, and remedied, for the best interest of the city, and if necessary, to replace the same by a larger pump.

The pumping station has been thoroughly over-hauled, and repairs made, when necessary, and is now in good working condition.

## STAND PIPE.

The stand pipe and a few minor leaks have been repaired during the year.

## HYDRANTS.

Every hydrant in the city has been tested and repairs made when necessary.

## DISTRIBUTION PIPING.

Leak in 8-inch main, Back street; leak in 10-inch main, Main street; leak in 8-inch main, Main street; leak in 16-inch main, Rochester street; leak in 16-inch main, at elbow, corner of Wells and Rochester street.

## SERVICES.

Eleven new services have been laid during the year, making a total now in use of 953. Repairs have been made to many, owing to leaks, principally goose necks.

## METERS.

There have been added fifteen new meters, during the year, making the grand total now in use 297, classified as follows:

Dwellings,	263
Dwellings and stores,	4
Stores,	11
Schools,	5
Hotels,	1
Worsted mill,	1
Saloons,	3
Shoe shops,	1
Laundries,	2
Banks,	1
R. R. depots,	2
G. A. R. hall,	1
A. O. H. hall,	1
Overall factory,	1
Total,	297
Owned by the department, 292; private, 5.	
Cash received from March 1, 1911, to February 29, 1912,	\$14,907 33
Balance on hand March 1, 1912,	663 21
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	\$15,570 54
Paid city treasurer, Arthur J. Seavey,	15,163 21
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Balance on hand,	\$407 33
Uncollected from water takers,	\$539 50

In closing, I desire to express my thanks for the many kindly expressions from the gentlemen of the board, and to all those with whom it has been my pleasure to meet in my capacity as superintendent of the Somersworth Water Works during the past year.

JOHN PARSONS, Superintendent.

Somersworth, N. H., February 29, 1912.

## ENGINEER'S REPORT.

*To the Board of Water Commissioners, Somersworth, N. H. :*

GENTLEMEN: I herewith respectfully submit the following report, covering the twelve months from March 1, 1911, to March 1, 1912:

MONTHS.	Gallons Pumped.	Average gal. per day.	Total coal in pounds.	Total lift, including suction	Hours Pumping.	Minutes Pumping	Days Pumping.	Foot lbs duty with 100 lbs coal.
<b>1911.</b>								
March	15,238.234	491,559	63,170	7,109.86	176	30	31	1,921,654,967
April	14,716.376	490,346	61,420	6,879.18	186	15	30	1,911,506,728
May	14,351.107	462,939	68,650	6,932.06	202	15	31	1,895,473,246
June	15,076.319	502,544	65,430	6,854.98	168	45	30	1,971,364,512
July	15,782.475	509,112	67,940	6,895.26	178	15	31	1,899,724,635
August	16,429.972	529,999	73,460	7,129.72	184	15	31	1,876,536,842
September	16,592.464	553,082	70,980	7,032.41	187	30	30	1,878,956,576
October	16,237.862	523,802	71,680	7,246.72	212	15	31	1,900,245,302
November	15,968.348	532,278	75,870	6,253.60	182	45	30	1,897,686,831
December	17,404.549	561,113	79,560	6,385.70	198	15	31	2,015,376,934
<b>1912.</b>								
January	18,972.672	612,022	85,250	6,856.23	209	30	31	1,876,358,243
February	18,765.982	647.103	81,790	6,538.70	214	45	29	1,902,743,685
	195,536,360	534.683	865,200	82,114.42	2,296	315	366	22,947,628,501

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. FLANAGAN,

Engineer.

Somersworth, N. H., March 1, 1912.

# VITAL STATISTICS

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1911.

**Births Registered in the City of Somersworth for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.**

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, if any.	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan.	2 Maria . . . . .	4	Hermidas Langevin	Mathilda Langevin	Canada	Canada
	3 Patrick Hourihane . . . . .	3	Arthur Hourihane	Mary Trainor . . . . .	Somersworth	England
	4 Anita . . . . .	2	Arthur Labrecque . . . . .	Rosana Desmarais	Canada . . . . .	Canada
	4 Marie Louise Flora . . . . .	2	Alfred Lapointe . . . . .	Marie Louise Rainville	" . . . . .	Somersworth.
	5 Jos. Armand . . . . .	4	Deus Couturier . . . . .	Celestine Routlier . . . . .	" . . . . .	Canada.
	7 Roland L. . . . .	6	Pierre Lambert . . . . .	Maria Chabotte . . . . .		
	11 Stephen . . . . .	2	Stephen Hourihane . . . . .	Sarah Moran . . . . .	Somersworth	Calais, Me.
	11 Jos. Jean . . . . .	1	Maurice St. Pierre	Emelina Lacasse . . . . .	Canada	Somersworth
	12 . . . . .	1	Dennis Chandler . . . . .	Rosa Pepin . . . . .	Canada	Canada.
	14 Unknown . . . . .	1	Unknown . . . . .	Louise Jones . . . . .		
	17 . . . . .	2	Arthur Douglas . . . . .	Mary L. Martin . . . . .	Biddeford, Me.	Somersworth.
	20 Irene . . . . .	3	Emile Cassette . . . . .	Esther Syrs . . . . .	Canada	United States.
	25 Marie Jeanne . . . . .	4	Emile Theberge . . . . .	Lumina Dumais . . . . .	" . . . . .	Canada.
	30 Jos. Antonio . . . . .	1	Philip Pepin . . . . .	Cedeliste Dumais . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
Feb.	31 Valmore . . . . .	4	Adelard Tessier . . . . .	Adele Lamie . . . . .	Somersworth	Dover.
	1 Mary Marguerite . . . . .	1	Frank P. Kearns . . . . .	Elizabeth Brennan . . . . .	Canada	Canada.
	3 Jos. Alfred Fernand . . . . .	2	Archille Gosselin . . . . .	Obeline Deshaies . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	4 Eva . . . . .	2	Joseph Laliberte . . . . .	Ouella Gosselin . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	5 Marie Agathe . . . . .	11	Adjutor Plante . . . . .	Eugenie Fillon . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	5 Jos. Albert . . . . .	3	Joseph Roy . . . . .	Alice Magnan . . . . .	United States	Somersworth.
	7 Marie Louise . . . . .	7	Jean B. Lavoie . . . . .	Malvina Dubois . . . . .	Canada . . . . .	Canada.
	11 Marie L. Grozella . . . . .	11	Louis Hebert . . . . .	Dezilda LaBonte . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	12 Andres Alphonse . . . . .	17	Euzebe Therten . . . . .	Malvina Charette . . . . .	Newmarket . . . . .	"
	17 Marie Caroline . . . . .	1	Procupe Pssira . . . . .	Rose Anna Cote . . . . .	Canada . . . . .	"
	18 . . . . .	1	Wilfred Willett . . . . .	McLaney Canvardo . . . . .	Turkey . . . . .	Turkey.
	19 Doris Irene . . . . .	1	Edward Marquis . . . . .	Emma Gastonguay . . . . .	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Somersworth.
	19 Jos. Raymond . . . . .	1	Edmond Aubert . . . . .	Diana Guseault . . . . .	United States . . . . .	Canada.
	21 Lionel . . . . .	3	Archille Roberge . . . . .	Rose Anna Poulin . . . . .	Canada . . . . .	"
	22 Conrad . . . . .	2	Placide Doyon . . . . .	Josephine Pageau . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	22 Yvonne Alma . . . . .	6	Alfred Turcotte . . . . .	Felanie St. Pierre . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	22 Anita . . . . .	6	Alfred Turcotte . . . . .	Delvina Larochelle . . . . .	" . . . . .	"
	23 Marie Eva L. . . . .	1	Jos. Vezeau . . . . .	Eva Leclerc . . . . .	Somersworth	Somersworth.
	23 Arthur . . . . .	1	James Gregoire . . . . .	Mary Genon . . . . .	Greece . . . . .	Greece.



Feb.	26	Efthenias	1 George Bayoc	Stetlo Gramuka	Greece.	Russia.
	28	Jos. Camille	1 Camille Gregoire	Alphonse Gosselin	Canada.	Canada.
Mar.	1	Lilly Augusta	1 Joseph Libby	Mary Deycar	Portland, Me.	United States.
	2	Aiser S.	2 Patrick Malone	Rosa Nauoy	Syria	Syria.
	3	Henry	6 Salem Elias	Marie Thivierge	Canada	Canada.
	4	Henry Liliane	1 Henry Curran	Clarence Dumais	"	"
	6	Yvonne	3 Omer Gagne	Amalie Couturier	"	"
	8	Joseph Rodolphe	8 Raul Pepin	Alma Poulin	"	"
	10	Marie Jeanmette	5 Joseph Lavigne	Angelina Roberge	"	"
	11		1 Vasileos Likos	Antina Kouchagan	Turkey	Greece.
	11	Joseph Gustave	2 Joseph Micheau	Rose Anna Thibeau	Canada	Canada.
	13	Marie Benoitte	5 Hermenegile Nadeau	Josephine Demers	"	"
	17	Georgina	5 Auguste Bouchard	Malvina Ruel	"	"
	17	George	6 Auguste Bouchard	Malvina Ruel	"	"
	18	Pierre	1 Pierre Gagne	Delvina Desmarais	"	"
	24	Ernest	1 Walter Works	Clarina Fortier	United States	Boston, Mass.
	24	Thomas	4 Evangeliste LaBonte	Katherine Gavin	Canada	Canada.
	25	Jos. Pierre	2 Joseph Pierre Gagnon	Dorilda St. Pierre	"	"
	26		10 Amede Roberge	Clara Tourville	"	"
	26	Jos. Arthur	2 Berthelemie Fectiau	Diana Roy	"	"
	26		1 Harry W. Hodsdon	Mary J. Norris	Epping	Somersworth.
	27	Marie Germaine	1 Joseph Provinsalle	Helena Vachon	Canada	Canada.
	27	Mary Agnes	4 William Coyle	Mary Laughlin	Somersworth	Somersworth.
	30	Joseph Rencaud	1 Ludger Gagnon	Emma Jean	Canada	Canada.
April	1	Ernest	12 Jean Aubert	Philomene Grgoire	"	"
	1	Marie Jeanne	1 Yverend Boldue	Laura St. Pierre	"	"
	6	Joseph	4 Alphonse Tremblay	Kilda Percault	"	"
	7	Marie Marguerite	2 Marie Baptiste Poitras	Antonia Provinsalle	"	"
	9	Gerald	7 Jean Baptiste Poitras	Victoria L'Etoile	"	"
	15	Joseph	3 Adjutor Turgeon	Marie Louise Goudreau	"	"
	20	Roland	4 Philippe Dumais	Wilhelmine Lamb	"	"
	22	George Arcadius	7 Ovide Nadeau	Eleonore Vachon	"	"
	28		4 Napoleon Larochelle	Alphonse Levasseur	"	"
	29	Arthur George	1 George Vermette	Mina Tremblay	United States	United States.
May	1	Lina	6 Warren Cartier	Florida Couture	Canada	Canada.
	7	Archie	12 Sifroid Dube	Marie Lemelin	"	"
	9	Florten	4 Louis Gagne	Ledia Vachon	"	"
	10	Barbara	1 Christopher Musgrove	Helen Forrest	England	England.
	11	Jos. Alfred	1 Albert Vachon	Emma Lariviere	Canada	Canada.
	13	Mary	1 Avery Leighton	Maggie Breunan	Maine	Newmarket.
	15	Joseph Roland	1 Elzey Vachon	Verginie Desjardin	Canada	Canada.
	17	Joseph Arthur	3 Denis Parre	Adela Bouffard	"	"
	22	Jos. Napoleon	8 Ludovic Marquis	Grazilla Leblond	"	"

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Date of Birth.	Name of Child, if any.	No. of Child.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	
May	27 Jos. Louis	4	Joseph Baker	Delia Dupre	Milton	Bideford, Me.	
	29 Joseph Raymond	4	Philip Guignard	Melanie Hamelle	Canada	Canada	
	31	4	Philias Desmarais	Rose Anna Vachon	United States	United States.	
	2 Gerard	10	Frank Bumford	Linnie B. Goodwin	Barrington	Dover.	
June	2 Lauretta	7	Noel Chasse	Malvina Dumas	Canada	Canada.	
	3 Joseph	7	Peter Aubin	Georgina Charrette	"	"	
	4 Mary M.	2	Edward Cote	Mary Drouin	"	United States.	
	6 Ruth Bigelow	2	John Riley	Annie Bean	Ireland	Ireland.	
	11 Marie Fernand	11	Asa M. Parker	Adelaide W. Bigelow	Swampscott, Mass.	Norwich, Conn.	
	11 Jos.	7	Francois Vachon	Clementine Doyon	Canada	Canada.	
	12 Marie Rose	1	Zephyren Lehoullier	Emma Fournier	"	"	
	13 Margaret Moore	1	Castos Crappie	M. Louise Aubert	Greece	"	
	14 Jos. Arthur	2	Henry E. Warren	Rachel B. Moore	Newton Hlds., Ms.	United States.	
	18 Jos.	4	Fred Lord	Ladivine Nadeau	United States	Somersworth.	
	22 Marguerite	5	Jos. Tanguay	Marie Gagne	Canada	Canada.	
	29 Gerald	3	Gedeon Gagnon	Eva Gossehn	"	"	
	30 Israel	4	Joseph Perreault	Sophie Lazaille	"	"	
	4 Edward	9	Israel Perreault	Lydia Roy	Somersworth	"	
	July	6	10	John McGrail	Annie Riley	Ireland	Ireland.
		7	2	George R. Brown	Addie Skilling	Sebago, Me.	Berwick, Me.
11 Laureenne		3	Mike Zumtun	M. Vaselee	Greece	Greece.	
12 Alida		5	John Perreault	Alza Raymond	Canada	Canada.	
13		2	Ludger Bolduc	Rose Anna Bourque	Rochester	Somersworth	
16 Lucien		2	Stanislas Gilbert	Anna St. Pierre	Canada	Canada.	
19 Alida		2	Daniel Sullivan	Virginie Dubois	"	"	
24 Jos. Napoleon		13	Pierre Dumais	Melanie Wimpfelmer	Somersworth	Somersworth.	
26 Alice		5	Joseph Reneaud	Delia Goucheau	Canada	Canada.	
27 Cecile		3	Honore Girard	Rose Demers	"	"	
28 Caroline		1	John O'Neil	Victoria Richard	Dover	Somersworth	
29 Joseph Jean		5	Narcisse Lessard	Anna McKeon	Canada	Canada.	
29		2	Morris Isacoff	Eugene Faucher	Russia	Russia.	
30 Marie Jeanne		12	Joseph Goulette	Ida Lockon	Canada	Canada.	
				Anna Plante	"	"	

Aug.	1 John T.	3 Daniel Donovan	Mary Hourihan	Ireland	Ireland.
	6 Ralph W. Holmes	2 John E. Sullivan	Bessie Hodgson	Somersworth.	Somersworth.
	7 Jos. Annin	6 Jos. Annin	Mary Ann Parsons	Canada	Canada.
	8 Marie Rose Aldea	6 Narsisse Chasse	Marie Vallee	United States	"
	10 Armand	11 Marcello Levesque	Laura Cliehe	Canada	"
	16 Mary Blanche	11 Arthur Lemelin	Celina Gagnon	"	"
	16 Lucien	7 Trefle Doyon	Emma Laliberte	Somersworth	Biddeford, Me.
	17 Romeo	2 John S. Morse	Merilda Nadeau	Greece.	Greece.
	17 Samuel S.	2 Louis Brivestis	Jessie Lynch	Canada	Canada.
	25 J. Francois	8 Desire Turcotte	Elvio Drysobnio	"	"
	25 Marie Irene	5 Joseph Bisson	Marie Anna Roy	Somersworth	"
	28 Annette	6 Alfred Groudin	Leonie Lapointe	Canada	"
	29 Alva	6 Auguste Gagnon	Marie Tremblay	Somersworth.	"
Sept.	31 Georgianna	8 Napoleon Rencaud	Alice Roudau	Canada	New York.
	1 Gratia Alice	8 Leonidas Turcotte	Mary Esburd	Somersworth.	United States.
	1 Jos. Lionel Armand	15 Joseph Rouleau	Lucie Paquette	Canada	Canada.
	2 Marie Blanche	3 Emile Boucher	Georgiana Sylvain	"	"
	6 Lucien	2 Marie Blanche	Mary McGee	"	"
	10 Elizabeth	4 Alphonse Lapointe	Mary Cadorette	England	Ireland.
	11	8 John Spellman	Ellen Mahoney	Somersworth.	Somersworth.
	12	1 Edward Libby	Clara F. Crawford	United States	"
	12	4 Willie Demers	Abbie Corson	Canada	Canada.
	13 Antonio Wilfred	7 Elie Mailout	Hermeline Blanchard	"	"
	14 Marie Almoza	2 Napoleon Gagne	Almoza Roy	"	"
	14 Marie Lea	8 Joseph Nadeau	Hertelle Cote	Ireland	Ireland.
	15 Thomas	8 Thomas Mullin	Mary Fuman	P. E. Island	Somersworth.
	15	12 Albert A. Tapscott	Nellie Coyle	Keene	Lowell, Mass.
	21 Donald	1 Winfred Stas	Elise M. De l'Etoile	Canada	Ireland.
	24	1 R. Howard Ray	Eugenie Levasseur	Somersworth	Canada.
	30 Ida	1 John Beamish	Mary E. Murphy	Canada	Canada.
Oct.	2 John Francis	3 Napoleon Lapointe	Zenaid Turcotte	"	"
	2 Andrien Roland	3 Napoleon Tanguay	Marie St. Pierre	Greece.	Greece.
	3 Wilfred Albert	4 James Stases	Arnis Sprin	Ireland	Ireland.
	5 Mary	3 Daniel Johnson	Bridget Regan	Canada	Canada.
	6 Joseph Olivia	1 Arthur Poreault	Olida Roy	"	"
	8 Reneo	5 Arthur Roberge	Marie Gagnon	"	"
	8 Ida	1 Alphonse Rencaud	Marie Aubert	"	"
	10 Mary	1 Alphonse Lapointe	Minnie Rousseau	"	"
	12 Jos. Arthur	8 Arthur Nadeau	Florida Lessard	"	Somersworth.
	16 Marie Alberta	10 Etueph Doyon	Flouline Gagne	"	Canada.
	21 Frank	1 Frank Thibault	Rose Gingras	"	"
	25 Frank	3 Frank Emerson	Amya Day	Houlton, Me.	"
	26 Alice	4 Thomas Hourihan	Zyta Sterling	United States.	United States.

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Oct. 27	Jos. Alfred.....	3	Joseph Bernier.....	Marguerite Gagnon.....	Canada	Canada.
31	Marie Lucie.....	5	Leon Berube.....	Delvina Dumais.....	"	"
Nov.	1 Jos. L. Napoleon.....	13	Alfred Desjardin.....	Ananda Ruel.....	United States	Somersworth
	3 Marie Delmond.....	12	Frank Wiggin.....	Augusta Clara Langdon.....	Canada	Canada.
	4 Marie Julie.....	14	Gedeon Couture.....	Marguerite Noletie.....	Somersworth	Rochester.
	5.....	1	Timothy J. Cullinane.....	Annie Spain.....	Canada	Canada.
	6 Joseph.....	6	Oliver Fredette.....	Della Bisson.....	"	"
	14 Daniel.....	2	Amede Cote.....	Hermeline Cote.....	"	"
	15 William.....	4	George Marceau.....	Lydia Ruel.....	"	"
	16 Alphonse.....	9	Pierre Deschenes.....	Emma Desjardin.....	United States	"
	16 Joseph H. Armand.....	3	Charles Lessard.....	Almoza Valle.....	Canada	"
	17 Girard.....	7	Joseph Turgeon.....	Marie Goudreau.....	Somersworth.	"
Dec.	20 Marie Anne.....	8	John Leahy.....	Julia Connors.....	Canada	Canada.
	25 Joseph.....	1	Joseph Bisson.....	E. Pepin.....	Canada	Canada.
	28 Joseph.....	1	Unknown.....	A. Vachon.....	Canada	"
	29 Marie Germaine.....	5	Emile St. Pierre.....	Rose Anna Vachon.....	United States	United States.
	29 Marie Rheinda.....	1	William Meiklejohn.....	Odiana Fortier.....	Canada	Canada.
	8 Donat.....	3	Domicile Couture.....	Delina St. Pierre.....	"	"
	13 Marie L. Alice.....	2	Wilfred Roberge.....	Felixine Plante.....	"	"
	14 Marie Bertha.....	6	Horace Guizard.....	Philomene Jacques.....	Rochester	Somersworth.
	14 Madeline.....	2	John McIntire.....	Mary O'Malley.....	Canada	Canada.
	15 Raymond.....	6	Elie Lambert.....	Laura Ruel.....	"	"
	18 Marie Malvina.....	3	Oliver Turcotte.....	Georgina Dube.....	Somersworth.	"
	19 William.....	5	Deplise Carignan.....	Emma Bourque.....	"	"
	26 Alfred.....	2	Jos. Roy.....	Louise Conway.....	Somersworth.	"
	29 Oliver.....	5	Alfred Charette.....	Angelina Filion.....	Portland, Me.	Canada.
	29 Elies.....	1	Ellis Dawson.....	Mildred Davis.....	Greece	Kingsbury, Me.
	30 Theodore.....	3	George Katsoules.....	Evangeline Chasplantec.....	"	Canada.

## MARRIAGES

**Marriages Registered in the City of Somersworth for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.**

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name of Groom and Bride.	Residence at Time of Marriage.	Age of Each.	Place of Birth of Each.	Name and Residence of Person by whom Married.
Jan. 2	Somersworth	William E. Raynolds	Somersworth	26	New Brunswick	Rev. T. F. McHugh, Somerville, Mass.
16	"	Anna Olive Goddard	"	22	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth.
16	"	Telephore Dumais	"	37	Canada	Rev. J. H. Brennan, Somersworth.
24	"	Marie Cabonette	Dover	18	Dover	Rev. B. H. Tilton, Somersworth.
24	"	John O'Neil	Somersworth	19	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth.
24	"	Joseph G. Walker	Sanford, Me.	26	Sanford, Me.	Rev. J. C. Dube, Somersworth.
24	"	Lillian Edna Bodwell	Somersworth	26	Canada	Rev. C. H. Lacroix, Rochester.
23	"	Adelard Lessard	"	27	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth.
23	"	Leda Renier	"	27	"	Rev. J. C. Dube, Somersworth.
Feb. 17	"	Alfred Couture	"	29	Bay View, Mass.	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth.
6	"	Josephine Lemelin	Rochester	22	Rochester	Rev. J. H. Brennan, Somersworth.
20	"	Dolores Enmons	Somersworth	23	Canada	Rev. T. F. Williams, Somersworth.
4	"	Albina Vachon	Salmon Falls	29	"	Rev. J. C. Dube, Somersworth.
4	"	Marie Rose Anna Langlois	Somersworth	28	Somersworth	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
Mar. 4	"	Winfred J. Sias	Lawrence, Mass.	22	Portsmouth	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
4	"	Ethel C. Coyle	Berwick, Me.	24	New York	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
11	"	George E. Ricker	Somersworth	21	Athol, Mass.	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
18	"	Effie Sherwood	Somersworth	18	Eastport, Me.	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
23	"	Leon Fortier	Berwick, Me.	23	Windham, Me.	Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb, Somersworth.
23	"	Marie Rose Senechal	Medford, Mass.	56	Winter Harbor, Me.	Rev. A. M. Parker, Somersworth.
Apr. 7	"	Roginald Guy	Windor, Me.	21	Windor, Me.	Rev. A. M. Parker, Somersworth.
12	"	Anna M. D. Breton	China, Me.	18	Richmond, Me.	Rev. A. M. Parker, Somersworth.
	"	Horace L. MacKenney	Dover	20	Dover	Rev. A. M. Parker, Somersworth.
	"	Lillian Russell	Somersworth			
	"	George L. Elliott				
	"	Ida M. Weston				
	"	William C. Hisler				
	"	Edna A. Baker				
	"	Elmer Everett Blake				
	"	Mildred Grant				

Apr. 17	Somersworth	Arthur A. Willey	Somersworth	38	Barrington	Fred H. Brown,	Somersworth.
18	"	Grace M. Lucas	Rochester	27	Rochester	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
May 11	"	Joseph Ludger Nadeau	"	29	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Rose Anna Vachon	Somersworth	27	Manchester	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
17	"	Arthur Perreault	"	32	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Olida Roy	"	22	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Aleide Dubois	"	23	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
June 19	"	Delia Lemelin	"	28	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Joseph Brodeur	"	21	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
July 13	Dover	Marie Blanche Turgeon	Rochester	24	"	Rev. E. B. Cross,	Somersworth.
"	"	Laurence E. Wallingford	"	32	Italy	Rev. E. B. Cross,	Dover.
15	Portsmouth	Frank W. Rogers	Somersworth	18	Springvale, Me.	Rev. William Stanley	Portsmouth.
17	Somersworth	Elorence Maud Marble	"	27	Somersworth	Rev. E. N. Durette,	Somersworth.
"	"	William Melickjohn	"	22	Brockton, Mass.	Rev. E. N. Durette,	Somersworth.
17	"	Jennie Oeliana Fortier	"	20	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
24	"	Joseph Droleto	"	21	Rochester	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Virginie Roy	"	23	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
30	"	Pierre St. Laurent	"	22	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Mathilda Theberge	"	27	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
Aug. 1	"	Joseph Howard Mahoney	Dover	21	Dover	Rev. T. F. Williams,	Somersworth.
"	"	Maud Moore	"	17	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
21	"	Arthur Guilmette	Somersworth	25	Salmon Falls	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Blanche Nadeau	"	21	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
Sept. 4	"	Leonidas Cauchon	"	27	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Maria Tourville	"	29	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
4	"	Francis X. Turcotte	"	22	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Marie Anna Nadeau	"	20	"	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
11	"	Pierre Rodier	"	22	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Marie Pepin	"	24	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
25	"	James H. Taylor	Conway	47	Groveland, Mass.	Rev. W. W. Gilliss,	Dover.
"	"	Grace H. Hill	"	41	Albany, N. Y.	Rev. E. N. Durette,	Somersworth.
25	"	Aenas Levasseur	Somersworth	20	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Onida Tremblay	Lawrence, Mass.	20	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
Oct. 5	Dover	Rodolphe P. Chabot	Somersworth	25	Lawrence, Mass.	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Cordelia Mornin	"	26	Canada	Rev. W. W. Gilliss,	Dover.
9	Somersworth	Reginald Newton Boucher	"	29	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Radie A. Stiles	"	24	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
16	"	Joseph Bisson	"	19	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
23	"	Joseph Alex Lanctot	"	25	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Sylvia Mathiot	"	23	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Emile Couture	"	20	Canada	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.
"	"	Leda Langevin	"	19	Somersworth	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers,	Somersworth.



Marriages Registered in the City of Somersworth for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name of Groom and Bride.	Residence at Time of Marriage.	Age of Each	Place of Birth of Each.	Name and Residence of Person by whom Married.
Oct. 30	Somersworth	Adjutor Skelling . . . . .	Berwick, Me.	26	Canada . . . . .	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth
Nov. 6	"	Rose Alma Perusse . . . . .	Somersworth	19	Michigan . . . . .	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth
		Joseph Francois Lefebvre . . . . .	"	30	Canada . . . . .	Rev. I. A. Rose, Lee.
13	Lee . . . . .	Maria Fortin . . . . .	Madbury . . . . .	29	Pittsfield . . . . .	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth
		Charles E. Perkins . . . . .	Jacksonville, Fla.	71	Olio . . . . .	Rev. O. J. Desrosiers, Somersworth
27	Somersworth	Milla P. Marratta . . . . .	Somersworth	54	Canada . . . . .	
		Emile Aubert . . . . .		24		
		Aurore Carignan . . . . .		21		



## DEATHS

## Deaths Registered in the City of Somersworth for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Disease or Cause of Death
		Years.	Months.	Days.		
Jan.	6 Lavina Lord	79	4	25	Barrington	Pneumonia.
	13 Daniel W. Goldsmith	67			Effingham	Tonsillitis.
	16 Marie Cora Demers	69	4	2	Somersworth	Infantile debility.
	21 Isabel W. Shapleigh	67	6	6	Canada	Apoplexy.
Feb.	1 William Potvin	67	1	12	Somersworth	Membranous Croup
	11 Bertha Dube	1	8		Canada	Diarrhoea.
	13 Eva Belanger (LaBonte)	17	1	27	Somersworth	Hemorrhasis from lungs.
	15 Joseph R. Alfred Desjardin	57			Ireland	Premature birth.
Mar.	1 James O'Kane	16	9	3	Somersworth	Appendicitis.
	3 Harry George Ruel	61			Ireland	Varicella.
	4 Catherine Shanahan	88	3	15	Canada	Heart disease.
	11 Marguerite Langelier	24	5	15	Canada	Erysipelas.
	11 Celestine Boucher	3	6	27	Somersworth	Meningitis.
	15 Ida Larochelle	84	9		Milton Mills	Chronic peritonitis.
	25 Mary Kimball Swasey	81	1	22	Somersworth	Infantile debility.
	25 Benjamin F. Haley	1	6		Somersworth	Diphtheria.
Apr.	27 Jos. Albert Lessard	3	9	6	New York	Chronic gastritis.
	2 Anisasto Cousoule	72			Somersworth	Premature birth.
	7 John Loughlin	38			Island Pond, Vt.	Paralysis of heart.
	7 Joseph Perreault	50			Somersworth	Valvular disease of heart.
	16 Dorothy Mayo	24			Canada	Typhoid fever.
	20 Sarah E. Pray	38			Berwick, Me.	Consumption of lungs.
	21 Angelina Lavigne	50			Somersworth	Cirrhosis of liver.
	21 Verginie Gagne	63			Canada	Pneumonia.
	25 Veslie M. Newcomb	52			Canada	Tuberculosis of kidneys.
	26 Charles C. Brown	29			Somersworth	Diarrhoea.
	28 Felix Vaillancourt	87			Scotland	
May	1 Arthur Cote	1	22		Somersworth	
	11 Jos. Albert Pepin	5	13		Scotland	
	11 David Scott	13			Somersworth	
	13 Jos. Alcide Nadeau	8			Somersworth	

June	24 Mary Helen Leighton . . . . .	73	8	Somersworth	Convulsion.
	25 Alanson Cook . . . . .	72	2	Wakfield	Heart disease.
	6 Narcisse Roy . . . . .		1	Canada	Apoplexy.
	6 Joseph Côté . . . . .	35		Somersworth	Dystocia.
	11 Joseph Lehoullier . . . . .	38		Canada	Tuberculosis of lungs.
	11 Emma Lehoullier . . . . .	32	10	Somersworth	Dystocia.
	11 Mary Côté . . . . .	37	9	Rochester	Peritonitis.
	11 Hannah Lessard . . . . .	30		Canada	Spinal Meningitis.
July	22 David Horan . . . . .	45		Canada	Heart disease.
	6 Pierre Gastonguay . . . . .	40	9	"	Natural cause.
	6 Alphonse Turgeon . . . . .	52	2	Canada	Stroke.
	13 Edwin McGrail . . . . .	52	2	Somersworth	Diabetes.
	13 Fred Wentworth . . . . .	53	28	"	Infant.
	19 Fred S. Blood . . . . .	55	8	Uramia.	Diabetes.
	20 Joseph Leo Lachance . . . . .	55	3	Maynard, Mass.	Tuberculosis.
	22 Angelino Caron . . . . .	34	5	Somersworth	Natural cause.
	25 Emma Savoie . . . . .	74	14	Canada	Cancer.
	28 Mathilda Turcotte . . . . .		2	Lawrence, Mass.	Tuberculosis.
Aug.	7 Arthur G. Vermette . . . . .		7	Canada	Drowning.
	8 Sullivan . . . . .		3	Canada	Cerebral hemorrhage.
	11 Columbia Provinsalle . . . . .	1		Somersworth	Infant.
	11 Cercakoula Shatigekis . . . . .	14	13	"	Stillborn.
	24 Maurice Libby . . . . .	67	1	"	Natural cause.
	24 Jos. Arthur Fecteau . . . . .		29	"	Cholera infantum.
	25 Edward Perreault . . . . .	12	6	Canada	Gastro-enteritis.
	28 Lucy Vezeau . . . . .		7	Somersworth	Endocarditis.
Sept.	29 Marie Louise LeBel . . . . .		10	"	Cholera infantum.
	4 Marie Jeanette Plante . . . . .		7	"	Meningitis.
	7 Harold Thomas Lavigne . . . . .	2	6	"	Anæmia.
	8 Rose Roy . . . . .	75	17	"	Intestinal catarrh.
	10 Mary Jane Jones . . . . .		6	Canada	Cholera infantum.
	12 Demers . . . . .		2	"	Valvular disease of heart.
	14 Belle Locke Hersom . . . . .	57	6	West Alton	Scintilla.
	16 John Therrien . . . . .	46	18	Somersworth	Premature birth.
	17 Sadie F. Downs . . . . .	52	5	"	Cerebral hemorrhage.
	17 Ernest J. Works . . . . .	24	8	Canada	Myocarditis.
	25 Florence F. McCarthy . . . . .	22	26	Madison	Diabetes.
	23 Chrisandry N. Collay . . . . .		23	Somersworth	Cholera infantum.
Oct.	1 Rose Roberge . . . . .		2	Greece	Tuberculosis of lungs.
				Dover	Acute yellow atrophy of liver.

## Deaths Registered in the City of Somersworth for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Death.	Name of Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Disease or Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		
Nov.	2 John W. Robinson	37			Somersworth	Spinal paralysis.
	12 Romeo Roberge			4	"	Bina spifida.
	13 Marie Bourque	93			Canada	Old age.
	14 Justine Landry	73		3	"	Paralysis.
	16 Jeremiah McCarthy	26	7		Ireland	Electrocution (accidental).
	19 Florida LaBonte Boulay	40			Canada	Heart disease.
	22 Frank Raymond Turcotte		1	23	Somersworth	Natural cause.
	28 Amanda Lessard	48	7		Canada	Pneumonia.
	29 Susan G. Harvey	80		10	"	Senility.
	7 Philomene Dodier	69			Canada	Pneumonia.
	9 Ellen Sleeper	67	11		Somersworth	Exhaustion.
	24 Nahm L. Berry	65		14	Strafford	Pneumonia.
	26 Alfred Gosselin		10	15	Somersworth	Pneumonia.
	26 Anathalie Clouder	89	1	24	"	Cerebral hemorrhage.
Dec.	29 Emelie Lessard	73	10	17	Canada	Heart failure, dropsy.
	30 Jos. Alfred Bernier		1	3	Somersworth	Jaundice.
	7 Leonie Provost	5	4	20	"	Pneumonia.
	9 Robert Barrett	88			Ireland	Valvular disease of heart.
	10 Amanda L. Horne	56			Norridgewock, Me.	Pneumonia.
	15 Margaret H. Howland	40	7		Somersworth	Cancer of uterus.
	17 Mary A. Horne	86	6	21	Lebanon	Pneumonia.
	19 Joseph Plourde	62	10		Canada	Strangulated hernia.
	22 Mary A. Bushey	55			Boston, Mass.	Chronic Bright's disease.
	24 Hilaire Lessard	56	7		Canada	Pericarditis.
	31 Ellisa Dawson			3	Somersworth	Premature birth.

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